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Sportsmen Elated Over Defeat of Anti-fight Bill in Ohio Legislature

GERMANY'S REPLY TO THE ALLIES

MAKES NUMEROUS PROVISIONS WHICH SHE DEEMS ESSENTIAL BEFORE SIGNING PEACE TREATY.

By the Associated Press
PARIS, June 18.—Here is a summary of the German reply to the peace treaty proposed by the Versailles conference:

Reparations.
Germany accepts responsibility only for civilian losses in the Belgian and French areas occupied by her in the war. She agrees to pay not more than \$25,000,000,000 provided her other counter proposals are accepted. Characterizing the allied plan for a reparations commission as infringing on German sovereignty, she proposes a "co-operative German commission" to work alongside the allied body.

Occupation.
She demands, in words of bitter protest, that all allied troops be withdrawn within six months of the signing of peace.

Negotiations.
She insists she has a right to oral discussion of the practical application of the principles upon the acceptance of which by her and her enemies she laid down her arms.

Saar.
Purely German territory. She claims important industrial districts beyond the coal mines is demanded from her, but "even the cession of the mining district could not be admitted." She is willing to guarantee a supply of coal, "but the total coal computed to exist in the Saar mines would represent a hundred times the maximum France demands. Except for sixty-eight years under French rule, the population has been attached to Germany for over a thousand years. Reconsideration of the whole question is demanded.

Schleswig.
She charges the demarcation for a plebiscite has been traced through purely German territory and goes further than Denmark herself wishes to go.

Upper Silesia.
Cession "cannot be demanded at" (Continued on Page 8.)

Marshal Foch Assembles Troops Preparatory to a Resumption of War

By the Associated Press

COBLENZ, June 18.—The concentration of troops preparatory to advancing into Germany if the Germans refuse to sign the terms of peace will begin on Wednesday throughout all the occupied area. Orders to this effect were received today from Marshal Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied armies, who sent similar orders to all the allied forces on German soil. Lieutenant-General Hunter Liggett, commander of American forces in the Coblenz area, said today after an inspection trip of the bridgehead outposts and the headquarters of divisions along the Rhine that the American forces were all ready to move ahead at a moment's notice. Leaves to soldiers, permitting them to visit recreation points within the American zone, have all been suspended until it is known whether the Germans will accept or reject the peace conditions.

If orders come to go ahead, the Americans will advance in combat formation prepared for any emergency with the artillery and supply trains following close upon the heels of the infantry.

JUNE NOT POPULAR MONTH FOR WEDDINGS

In spite of all the talk of June brides, they don't get married in June around Ada. That is they haven't this year, nearly so fast as in other months. Probably they don't have time as the men folks are all too busy now with their crop gathering to think about such a thing as marrying.

Up to date the records show 13 licenses issued in June, 42 for May, 34 in April, 29 in March, February 28 and January 22.

Court News

The state jail inspector was in Ada last week and inspected the jails at this place. He told Mayor Kitchens that the city jail here was in first class condition in every way. The city jail is on the empty list today. The janitor has just given the jail a thorough scrubbing, and new bedding is placed on the bunks regularly to make it as comfortable as possible.

The commissioners of the city of Ada announce that they are now on a deal to place in the local fire station an electric alarm apparatus and siren bell. It will be so arranged that when an alarm is turned in the telephone operator touches a bell and the siren begins to scream in such tones that it can be heard for several miles. The object of course is to give the people in all parts of town warning to clear the streets until the passing of the trucks. The system is expected to be in operation by August 1st.

A complaint has been filed in the district court against one Arthur Alcorn, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Mr. Alcorn is said to be an itinerant picture enlarger and was here in April collecting money and taking orders for picture work. It is said he collected from several people and has not delivered the pictures and they have become suspicious, thus causing the action in court. He has not yet been arrested.

THIS GERMAN PAPER HOPES FOR BETTER DAYS
By the Associated Press

BERLIN, June 17.—Commenting on the allied reply to the German counter proposals to the terms of peace the Frankfort Gazette says:

"Whatever we do will be terrible. Germany is in no position to refuse to sign the treaty when the signature is forced by a ultimatum. Let us resign ourselves to the inevitable and hope for a better future."

THE GERMANS ARE SILENT ON PEACE

IT IS BELIEVED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS REPRESENTATIVES THAT THE GERMANS WILL NOT SIGN.

By the Associated Press

WEIMAR, June 18.—No statement has yet been issued by the German cabinet on the reply of the Allies to the German counter proposals. The Associated Press has learned, however, that the sentiment of the cabinet is almost unanimously against signing the treaty.

It seems that the main objection of the Germans to signing the treaty is the fear of Bolshevism and chaos in their own country as a result of such action. The German people are against the treaty and the leaders fear their wrath if the treaty is signed.

Ham-Ramsey Arrangements Almost Complete

A Ham-Ramsey Revival organization was perfected at a meeting last evening at the First Christian church. Dr. J. M. Gordon was elected to act as chairman of the organization. Mr. C. E. Cunningham was chosen secretary and Mr. L. A. Ellison, treasurer. Rev. G. W. Beck as chairman of the pastors' association was added to the executive committee and made its vice chairman.

It was also agreed to organize fourteen committees with special duties relating to the co-operative revival. Among these committees are to be committees on music, ushers, delegations, decorations, personal workers, prayer meetings, census of city, entertainment, publicity, nursery, finance, tabernacle, etc. Under these and other heads the advance work of the campaign will be whipped into shape this week and next. There is to be no advance man for this campaign since Mr. Bumgartner is at the bedside of a very sick wife. Much of the advance responsibility is being saddled on to the chairman of the ministerial association, Rev. G. W. Beck, and he is handling it in a workman-like manner.

Already the big shed is cleared of rubbish and cleaned. Already a contractor is at work on a choir platform to seat three hundred singers. It is now being seated for five thousand people and is declared to be cool and pleasant even at mid-day.

AUSTRIA'S RESPONSE TO TREATY BEING READ

By the Associated Press

PARIS, June 18.—The Austrian observations responding to the fragmentary treaty first communicated to the Austrian delegation, were today undergoing translation for submission to the council of four. They make a document so formidable in size that they cause wonder regarding the length of the answer that would have been delivered had the Austrians been in possession of the complete treaty.

The Austrian reply will be made public only in connection with allies' rejoinder. It is possible that the latter may not be sent until the Austrians have had an opportunity to reply to the missing sections of the treaty, no date for the presentation of which has as yet been set.

VISCOUNT NORTHCLIFFE UNDERWENT OPERATION
By the Associated Press

LONDON, June 18.—Viscount Northcliffe, wealthy newspaper owner, statesman and former head of the British mission to the United States, underwent an operation today. The attending physicians say that his condition is satisfactory.

French Hope Huns Refuse To Sign So Essen May Be Given Rheims Treatment

Tom Thomas Has A Most Unique "Trouble Car"

Tom A. Thomas, who runs the Service Garage at 212 W. 12th street, has the most unique "trouble car" yet seen in these parts. The car is a Buick 37 which has been remodeled with a body adapted to the purpose, and which has back step, seats and rail on the rear resembling very much a patrol wagon like those used by the police in the larger cities.

The car is painted a straw tan, and painted in red are the various signs of the firm, telephone number, etc. On the front, just below the wind shield, is the Ada or double A city monogram. The machine is not only designed to be useful, but it is ornamental as well.

The box seats running lengthwise are the car tool boxes, and in them are carried all jacks and other tools necessary for trouble purposes. A metal towing pole, equipped with shock absorbers and so arranged that it folds back into the car, is attached to the rear.

The most modern feature is an air storage tank and hose which enables Mr. Thomas to inflate tires out on the road, obviating the necessity of towing cars in flat and ruining tubes. Provision is also made for the carrying of gasoline, oil and water adequate for all emergencies, all of which is nicely concealed, giving the car a neat appearance and leaving the bed free for passengers or luggage.

Verily, the Ada garage men are getting on to all the latest "ins" and "outs" of the business.

FRENCH SAILORS ATTEMPT JAIL DELIVERY AT BREST
BREST, June 18.—Two hundred French sailors, carrying red flags, attempted to enter the naval jail here yesterday to rescue imprisoned sailors. The attempt failed. No casualties.

FOUND FRESH BLOOD IN IRISH PRISONS

By the Associated Press

PARIS, June 18.—Frank P. Walsh and Edward F. Dunne, American representatives of the Irish Societies in the United States, have laid before President Wilson evidence alleged to have been received as to atrocities in Ireland. Some of the witnesses were American citizens, it is said, and in the course of the evidence they say they have "examined cells in which Irish revolutionists have been confined and have found fresh blood on the walls."

Mr. Walsh and Mr. Dunne request President Wilson to immediately lay the additional facts submitted to him before the peace conference and urge a prompt hearing by an impartial tribunal.

PRESIDENT AND WIFE VISIT KING AND WIFE

By the Associated Press

ADENKIERKE, Belgium, June 18.—President Wilson and wife arrived here from Paris at 8:45 this morning. They were met by King Albert and Queen Elizabeth and left immediately for a motor trip over the Belgian front.

CAN'T PASS ON TREATY YET, SAYS GERMAN CABINET HEAD

By the Associated Press

WEIMAR, June 18.—Phillip Schiedemann, head of the German cabinet, speaking to the national assembly today, declared that the allied reply to the German counter proposals, without complete text, did not yet permit of final judgment and that premature judgment would be a mistake.

BIG FIGHTERS GETTING READY FOR THE WILLARD-DEMPESEY BATTLE AT TOLEDO, JULY 4TH.

By the Associated Press

TOLEDO, Ohio, June 18.—Tex Rickard, promoter of the heavy-weight championship contest between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey here July 4, today expressed his satisfaction over the defeat of the bill in the Ohio legislature last night, which if passed would have empowered Governor Cox to prevent the match.

Willard today received word from "Steamboat Bill" Scott, a light heavyweight, who has just returned from France, expressing his willingness to join the champion's staff of sparring partners immediately upon his discharge from the service at Camp Sherman. Scott formerly was a sparring mate of Willard's. He returned from France holding the Championship honors of the Sixth division.

Admirers of Dempsey are surprised over the weight of the challenger, who tipped the scales yesterday at 201 pounds, wearing only his trunks and boxing shoes. None of them believed Dempsey weighed within ten pounds of that figure as they thought he had reduced to his lowest possible weight as a result of working hard under the heat of a scorching sun.

There was nothing suspicious about Dempsey's weighing yesterday. It was done in the presence of nearly two score of newspaper men, a great majority of whom believed that the challenger would scale somewhere between 180 and 190 pounds. The scales were tested a half dozen times before Dempsey hopped on them. The only explanation of Dempsey's astonishing increase in weight is that he thrives on training, that he has been permitted to eat what he wished, has been drinking considerable water and that perhaps his daily plunge in Maumee Bay has put considerable poundage on him instead of reducing it.

Willard has a new sparring partner in camp who promises to be of valuable assistance. The new addition is Joe Chip, a middleweight of New Castle, Pa. He is fast, lets his punches fly from all angles and has a dozen times yesterday caught the champion with stinging blows to the head and body.

THE POSTAL COMPANY ATTEMPTS SETTLEMENT

By the Associated Press

CHICAGO, June 18.—The Postal Telegraph company, with a view to ending the telegraph strike so far as that company is concerned, sent notice throughout the country this morning that all strikers would be permitted to return to work with continuity of service up to and including June 20. It was not stated whether or not the striking telegraphers intended to consider the proposal.

Normal Notes

Prof. C. W. Richards, superintendent of the schools of Ardmore, was the speaker at the Normal this morning. His was the first of a series of educational lectures to be given during the summer term.

The lecture of Mr. Richards today was one that made a profound impression on the faculty and students. He announced that in the limited time at his disposal he must combine the subject matter of four addresses into this one. Mr. Richards started off by asking where the country is regarding education and proceeded to answer the question. He did it in a most able and interesting manner. Among other things he stated that there were 800,000 teachers in the United States; that of this number 20 per cent had only an eighth grade education, and that one-third of the total number were only 18 years of age. He stated further that one of the things most needed in the schools today was a diagnostician or an expert in psychology, and that his town of Ardmore had employed such a man for next year, the man being Henry D. Rinsland, a graduate of East Central. He further discussed the state text book commission now in session in this state and said that this commission did this week more than anything else would affect the educational interests of this state during the next five years. Among other pertinent points in his speech, Prof. Richards said there had to be a foundation for education in this country before we could accomplish very much, as the system we use was established for the classes and built from the top down. It is hoped Mr. Richards will be heard at East Central again soon.

The text book commission now in session in Oklahoma City is composed of Gov. J. B. A. Robertson, chairman; R. H. Wilson, state superintendent; secretary, C. Jackson of Sapulpa; L. H. Pettit of Collinsville; J. P. Battenberg of Atoka, and W. C. Kelsey of Hobart.

There will be another speaker at the Normal tomorrow morning. (Continued on Page Eight.)

JEANNE D'ARC IS INJURED AT SEA

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 18.—A wireless message received at the navy department at Washington this morning announced that the French cruiser, Jeanne D'Arc, had been disabled at sea and that the transport, Imperator, had taken off Dr. Pessoa, president-elect of Brazil, and his party who were on board. The president-elect and party were enroute to the United States from Lisbon.

The message gave no details as to the injuries or deaths, if any.

Admiral Benson gave no details other than the Jeanne D'Arc's engines became disabled yesterday at 3 o'clock Greenwich time and three hours later the Imperator came up and took off the Brazilians. The position of the vessel at the time of transfer was not given. The Imperator, which is bringing troops home from France is expected to reach New York tomorrow morning. So far as known here there were no passengers on the Jeanne D'Arc other than Dr. Pessoa and members of his party.

The fact that the Imperator did not stand by the disabled cruiser and that no mention was made of assistance being requested is taken here to indicate the French war is in no serious danger. It is believed she will make her own repairs and that the transfer of the passengers to the American transport was simply to avoid delay.

The Jeanne D'Arc which left Lisbon June 11 is one of the old style French war ships. She is 470 feet long and has a beam of 81 feet. Her normal complement is 626 men.

The Imperator, to which Dr. Pessoa is reported to have been transferred was formerly one of the crack German liners and is the second largest ship afloat. She was turned over to the United States by Germany under the terms of the armistice. She is at present being used as a transport.

MASONS ARE PREPARING FOR NOTEWORTHY AFFAIR

Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M., will have a banquet next Tuesday evening in the parlors of the First Baptist church, to be followed by an excellent program. The Eastern Star is managing the affair and making preparations for the greatest thing of the kind ever staged in Ada.

The eatables for the occasion will be furnished by the individual members and their wives. Any Mason whose wife has not been called upon to prepare something should get in touch with Mrs. T. E. Brents or Mrs. A. M. Bailey and ascertain what is expected of him.

The program for this meeting will be published in Saturday's paper.

Every member of Ada lodge as well as all resident Masons whose membership is elsewhere is expected to be present and bring his better half.

WINE AND BEER BAN UP FOR VOTE SATURDAY

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The house judiciary committee agreed today to vote Saturday on the proposal which would authorize the president to modify, by proclamation, the war-time prohibition as it relates to beer and light wines.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles T. Bates, 34, Ada; Theodora Griffin, 18, Ada.
Elliott Meaders, 23, Ada; Ethel Wren, 21, Ada.
G. W. Fuller, 35, Ada; Oney Mathews, 29, Centrahoma.
Calvin Black, 18, Ada; Gertie Clark, 17, Ada.
J. E. England, 47, Ada; Mrs. Lela Born, 39, Atlanta, Ga.

Mexico Land of Danger For Americans, Now That An Invasion Has Started

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 18.—It will not be safe for an American to go into Mexico for a long time now, because of the clean-up made on the Villistas at Juarez by American soldiers, is the opinion of Capt. Don Miller. Captain Miller was commander of Troop A of the Seventh cavalry, the outfit that crossed the river at El Paso and attacked the Mexicans after they had shot and killed a soldier.

Two Years on Border.

For the past two years he has been on the border, during which time he has made a study of the Mexican debacle. Just before starting for Oklahoma City he and his men finished a period of river patrol at Fabens near El Paso.

It is the belief of Miller that serious trouble with the Mexicans may be expected as a result of the turn of affairs at Juarez. The whipping of the Villa followers by the Americans is certain to incite them to hostilities somewhere on the border even to the extent of attempting another raid to equal the one at Columbus.

Occupancy Predicted.

Another raid like the one on Columbus would probably settle a decision by Uncle Sam for the occupation of Mexico, says the army captain. Occupation of the country is considered by army officers who are familiar with the situation as the only ultimate solution of the trouble, says Miller.

Believes It Accidental.

Speaking of the crossing of the river by the Americans Sunday night Miller said, "We had been watching the Villa men in their movements on Juarez. I was surprised to hear of them shooting over the river and believe that it must have been accidental as Villa well knew what the consequences would be and Felipe Angeles, whom the outlaws have named as provisional president, is making a big effort for the friendship of the United States."

Villa's men would have undoubtedly taken a hand in things, says Miller. Captain Miller said if further trouble at El Paso is reported, he expects to leave to join his outfit. The Seventh cavalry to which he belongs was organized by General Custer.

GIRL COULDN'T STAND CLOTHES TO TOUCH HER

"My father got me a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble and I am feeling so much better since taking it. My stomach was so painful I couldn't stand my clothes to touch me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Gwin & Mays Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

A CHICAGO JUDGE RAPS MEN "VAMPS"

CHICAGO, June 18.—Are you a male vamp?
"You needn't believe, because you are not of goodly stature or because you have not the features of an Apollo, that you are out of the vamp class. There are plenty of male vamps, and they are not necessarily good looking. Judge Sheridan E. Fry says so.
"It's a certain baleful influence—a sort of hypnotism," said Judge Fry, who, from his august bench in the court of domestic relations, has witnessed the sad work of many a trussed vamp.
"They are not necessarily good looking nor men of mentality," he continued. "Often they are hopeless, dissipated wretches, but they are still able to enmesh women of charm and personality.
The Evil Eye, Perhaps.
"I don't know how they do it—it's the evil eye, I guess." And the judge laughed at his own inability to define the secret of vampishness. "Anyway, we have trouble enough with the female vampire. Let's hope the male variety doesn't flourish. I do agree with Kipling, however, that the female of the species is more deadly than the male."

Judge Fry recently described as a vampire Frank Cosgrove, the man nurse who was sentenced to the Bridewell for winning the affections of Mrs. Ella Gauer while he nursed her husband.
But Judge Fry was not through with the subject. He mused over the many varieties of feminine vamps he had encountered.
The Three Kinds of Vamps.
"I believe there are three varieties," he said. "Of course, everybody is familiar with the Theda Bara-ish kind—with the snaky draperies and the long earrings and the deep eyes. That kind doesn't appear in court very often."
Then he told of the baby vamp with the fluffy locks and the innocent stare.
"She doesn't look harmful," he said, "but she's just as bad as her sinuous, sophisticated sister. They are sisters under the skin." The judge is fond of Kipling. "The baby vamps really cause more trouble than the other kind, and more divorces."

And there is still another species—the intellectual vamp; she who approaches you and talks of soulful or intellectual subjects while she fixes her eyes on yours. You feel that baleful, fascinating "something" that Judge Fry can't define, staring at you out of her eyes—holding you, entralling you—the while she talks economics or difficulty of reading Dostoevsky.

"Beware of all of them," is the judge's final advice.

Notice to the Public.
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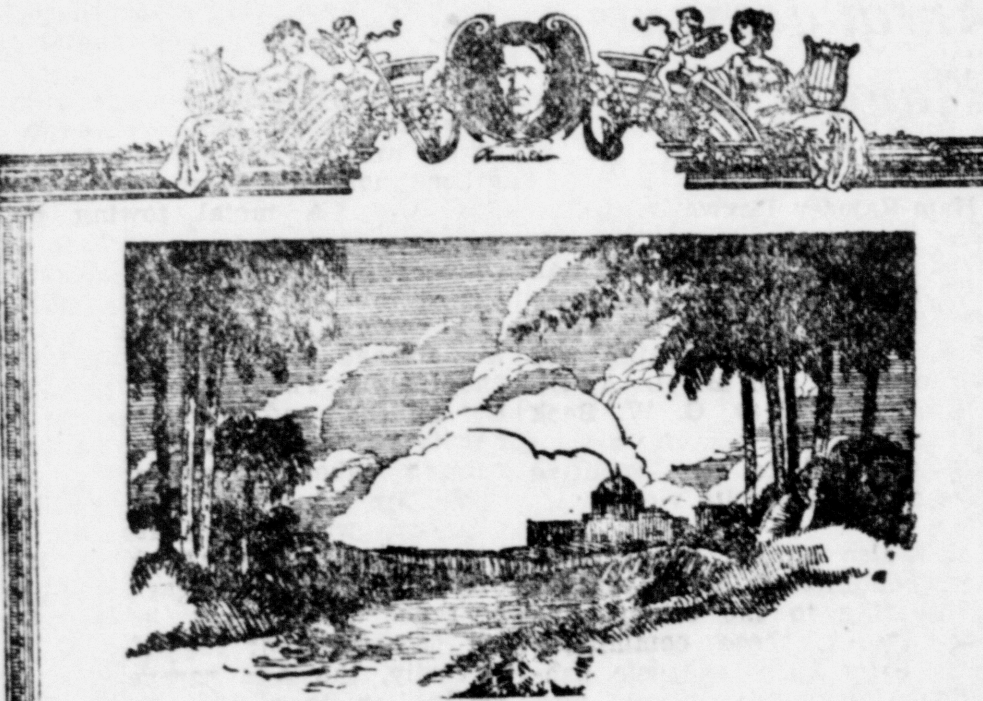
Hunger, cold, impairment of sight and hearing, and, naturally, difficulty in breathing, were some of the things experienced by Maj. R. W. Schroeder when he reached an altitude of approximately six miles in an airplane, the world's record for high flying. Then his engine stopped because his gasoline gave out, and there was nothing to do but come down to earth, which he did in twenty minutes.

Major Schroeder gives a brief account of his altitudinous flight in Popular Mechanics. He explains that he has been connected with the flying game since 1910, during which time he has tried to learn all he could about it. He says all his past experience stood him in good stead in his attempts to make a new world's altitude record. Prior to Major Schroeder's record-breaking flight, the highest altitude reached by an airplane was 20,258 feet, attained in 1913 by G. Legagneux in France. The American officer was anxious to outdo the Frenchman, but he found it a somewhat difficult task. He says:

"In order to take an airplane to a higher altitude than any other pilot in the world, I found that more than one or two attempts would be necessary. I made three, the first taking me to an altitude of 24,000 feet, the second to 27,000 feet, and the last to 28,900 feet, all of which would have been world's records, and now I feel certain that with a few changes and improvements I can get to 30,000 feet."

"The following experiences and sensations which I noticed during my flight were due to lack of oxygen. I took off at 1:45 p. m., September 18, 1918, and made a steady westerly climb, passing through clouds at 8,000, 12,000, and 16,000 feet. At 20,000 feet, while still climbing in large circles, my goggles became frosted, making it very difficult to watch the instruments. The temperature at this altitude was 18 degrees centigrade below zero. When I reached 25,000 feet I noticed the sun growing very dim. I could hardly hear my motor run, and felt very hungry.

"The trend of my thought was that it must be getting late, that evening must be coming on, and that this was the reason the sun was getting so dim. But I was still climbing, so thought I might as well stick to it a little longer, for I knew I could reach my ceiling pretty soon.



Out of the East

"The fronds of palms stood still against the sky—the brown roofs of hidden houses peeped through the green foliage, through big leaves that hung shining and still—The East, so old, so mysterious, resplendent and sombre, living and unchanged, full of danger and promise."

Out of the East comes the breath of romance and of mystery, calling to us, dwellers of the western world. To you it calls and waits for you, lying hidden in the strange harmonies of its music—the languorous, wailing music of the Orient, vivid with color, sad with the untold tragedies of the centuries.

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Well Utilized by D. W. Griffith in "A Romance of Happy Valley."

The characters in "A Romance of Happy Valley" are such persons as D. W. Griffith knew in his boyhood days when he rambled through the valley uplands along the Ohio River in Kentucky and Indiana and Ohio. Simple folk they are who lived and loved and had their weariness and woes all in one small area.

From the lives of the keeper of

the country boarding house, his family and his neighbors, he took less than ten years for his story. When their little schemes and their great sacrifices, with trivial events that drove them to far-reaching actions, with the urge of their lives and its penalties and rewards, he drew the details of the drama. It is so simple it seems a tale about one's neighbors; so forceful it seems all life in one white flame.

It pounds home no propaganda, it thumps no pulpit; it is without sermon or moral, only such as life teachers in its quiet way. The Griffith mastery conceived it, which promises well for "A Romance of Happy Valley." It will be shown at the Liberty theatre starting today.

PROMISES OF PRAYER to be topic for Community Prayer Meeting tonight at 8:30 at the First Baptist church.

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RECEIVED \$150,000 FOR WIFE'S LOVE

NEW YORK, June 18.—Lieut. La Verne A. Davies a few days ago won a verdict for \$150,000 from a sheriff's jury against Alfred Harrison, Jr. Davies charged Harrison with having alienated the affections of Ruby Davies, his young wife, while Davies was in the army.

Harrison is a son of Alfred C. Harrison, multi-millionaire of Philadelphia. One of his sisters is the Countess Karl von Holstein.

Young Harrison married Miss Marie M. Gibson. His residence has been at Enaenada de Mora, Cuba, where he has a large sugar plantation. He spends considerable of his time each year in this city.

Davies was married in January, 1917. When the United States declared war against Germany he was fired with an ambition to "do his bit."

In June, 1917, he enlisted in the 92nd Battalion of Marines. A month later he was discharged from this branch of the service, that he might join the army. January 5, 1918, he enlisted in the army and was sent to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. He took his pretty 20-year-old wife with him. They lived together as much as possible while he was in camp and, he says, he enjoyed all of her affection.

In July, 1918, his regiment—the 317th Infantry—was ordered to Porto Rico. His wife came to New York. He obtained leave of absence in August, 1918, and was here with her three weeks.

Gifts of Costly Gems.
Soon after his departure, he says, Harrison enticed her away from home, provided her with lavish gifts of jewelry, expensive clothes, flowers and candy.

Later, Davies adds, his wife admitted that Harrison had completely won her love away from her husband by supplying her with luxuries, one of which was a \$20,000 necklace. She says he gave her about \$70,000 worth of rubies, diamonds and pearls.

During his absence on military duty, Davies says, his wife's letters grew colder and colder. Little terms of endearment were missing and there was no longer expressed for his return. However, having been honorably discharged December 18, he hastened homeward, believing that he could soon revive his wife's flagging love.

To his surprise and astonishment he found Mrs. Davies had moved out of his modest apartment, he says, and was living in a luxurious home provided for her by the wealthy Cuban planter.

Confessed Lost Love.
"My wife confessed to me," said the heartbroken lieutenant, "that her affection for me was totally destroyed by reason of her association with another man."

One night Davies met Harrison and Mrs. Davies together in a cafe. He started to square matters then and there, was promptly arrested for disorderly conduct. A magistrate discharged him on hearing the story of his wrecked home.

HARRIS HOTEL ARRIVALS

Webb & Rushing
Tom Harter, Ardmore
R. G. Sell, Okla. City
W. R. Gillmore, Okla. City
E. D. Turner, Okla. City
H. F. Benson, Okla. City
E. C. Henderson, Okla. City
K. G. Williams, Okla. City
Morris Hunter, Dallas
H. W. Osborn, St. Louis
Sgt. George
Lorene Detert
I. H. Phillips, Chandler
Jim Holley and Wife, City
John L. Scott, Sherman
J. P. Peterson, Okla. City
C. B. Wood, Francis
L. Hiken, St. Louis
Tom Weckham, Okla. City
W. W. Lucas, St. Louis
K. H. Hancock, K. C., Mo.
E. W. Renfro, Muskogee
J. W. Boyce, San Antonio, Tex.
M. Giffey, Kans. City
R. E. Randall, Okla. City
C. A. McConnell, Okla. City
H. L. Cavin, Okla. City
H. G. Hearn and Son, Dallas
A. T. Hearn, Dallas
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W. A. Mehl, Chicago
George Guinn, Kans. City
Lon Holcomb, Okla. City
S. E. Thrower, Tulsa
E. B. Smith, Okla. City
J. A. Basford, McAlester
J. B. Padfield, Muskogee
N. L. Calmet, Okla. City
W. H. Brown, Okla. City
J. D. Heyburn, Springfield, Mo.
R. Hanna, Sherman
D. F. Bostick, Shawnee
S. Darnell, Fort Smith
Melton Rosenthal, St. Louis
H. P. Couthard, Okla. City
A. J. Walker, Ardmore

Harry Hawker Pleased.
LONDON, June 17.—Harry G. Hawker, the aviator, who recently made an unsuccessful attempt to cross the Atlantic from New Foundland, is credited by the Central News as saying with regard to Captain Alcock's achievement:

"It was a magnificent and very fine feat. I am glad Captain Alcock was able to make the flight in real fashion without warships and all that sort of thing. It is very gratifying from that point of view."

Drop in with six bits and get a blue print map of Pontotoc County. —Ada News.

MONTENEGRO IN WOEFUL PLIGHT

INHABITANTS DESTITUTE, HOUSES BURNED AND YOUNG MEN ALL GONE, SAYS FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT.

By the Associated Press
NIKSICH, Montenegro, April 15, Via Paris May 15. (By mail.)—Montenegro is in a pitiable state. The inhabitants are destitute. Dwellings are burned or smashed by shellfire. The young men are gone. There are no tools to work with, no seeds to plant. The city dwellers have no livelihood. Each day the American Red Cross gives everyone a kilo of bread or two quarts of thick, meaty soup. American nurses visit the sick from sunup to sundown, each nurse attending to about fifty sick persons daily.

Before the war most of the clothing worn by the Montenegrins was made by the women at home, either of linen or wool. Only a small number of officials and tradesmen used imported cloth. During the war no clothing was made and now the home supply is cut off because there is not enough labor to produce food and no one can spare time for spinning or weaving.

As a result Montenegrin men, women and children are clothed in burlap sackings. There is not enough sacking to go around and the mountaineers huddle in their huts during inclement weather. When one of their number, generally a child, is sent after the Red Cross rations, he or she is supplied by making a round-robin collection with sufficient sacking to keep warm during the journey to the relief station.

Malaria and tuberculosis are common and the children suffer much from the itch, due to the general filthiness of conditions in the mountains and mountain towns. In the former residence of Prince Mirko, son of King Nicholas, near Podgorica, American doctors and nurses maintain a fifty bed hospital and treat daily about eighty patients. The surgeons' principal work has to do with bullet wounds.

At Danilograd the Red Cross maintains a dispensary. Here in Niksich the Red Cross feeds 1,200 persons in its soup kitchens, making no distinction between royalists and those who favor the Jugo-Slav state. The Red Cross also cares for 300 people housed in the six rooms of the local "poor house" whose condition is most wretched.

At Cetinje the Red Cross feeds 300 people daily in its soup kitchens and maintains a hospital.

Owing to the hostility to foreigners shown by Montenegrins, most of the only foreign element found in the interior towns are American soldiers and officers and workers in American Red Cross uniforms. The American army trucks and ambulances are driven by chauffeurs largely drawn from the ambulance service in France.

DURANT NORMAL HAS 861 STUDENTS NOW

By the Associated Press
DURANT, Okla., June 18.—The Southeastern State Normal school with its present enrollment of 861 students has a wide representation as shown by statistics made from the entrance blanks. There are seven states, 25 counties and ten religious organizations represented. The states outside of Oklahoma with the enrollment include: Arkansas 26; Texas 18; Kentucky 2, Louisiana 1; Mississippi 1; and Missouri 1.

Of the counties Bryan leads with an enrollment of 355, McCurtain 62, Choctaw 55, LeFlore 48, Pittsburg 46, Atoka 45, Marshall 39, Johnson 29, Carter 28, Latimer 28, McIntosh 26, Pushmataha 16, Love 12, Coal 6, Mayes 3, Garvin 3, Pontotoc 2, Grady 2, Okmulgee, Murray, Seminole, Jefferson, Cleveland and Stephens 1 each.

In religious preferences, the Baptists lead with 280. The Methodists second with 273 and the others, Christian 107, Presbyterian 79, Catholic 7, Church of Christ 7, Nazarene 6, Mormon 2, Christian Science 1 and Jewish 1. There were 98 who failed to fill out blanks or wrote no preference.

Moroccan Charm.
Moroccan wives have a recipe for winning back affection. The suspicious wife draws a line of honey from forehead to chin and collects the drippings. Then she rubs the tip of her tongue with a fig leaf till it bleeds and soaks seven grains of salt in the blood. This she mixes with the honey and puts the dose in the erring husband's food.

COMMUNITY PRAYER MEETING to be held tonight at 8:30 at the First Baptist Church. Everybody should come. It

Potash-Producing Weed.
It is believed that the ash of bracken contains 40 to 50 per cent of soluble potash. In parts of Australia, where the weed grows abundantly, it has been found that a yield of 400 pounds of potash can be obtained per acre. The potassium occurs chiefly as sulphate and chloride.

AT BAPTIST CHURCH tonight you are invited to attend the Community Prayer Meeting. It

MACEDONIA SAVED BY THE RED CROSS

By the Associated Press

KAVALLA, Macedonia, May 5. (By mail.)—Millions of rations have been issued and hundreds of thousands of refugees have been fed and clothed by the American people through the Balkan Commission of the American Red Cross in Macedonia. In Northern and Southern Serbia, in Rumania and in Greece proper several additional million rations have been given out without charge.

No distinction of creed or nationality has been made. Greeks, both patriarchists and Mohammedans; Slavs, including exarchists, patriarchists and Catholics; Jews of both the orthodox and Deume professions; gypsies; Vlachs and Albanians—all have received aid from the American people.

In a two-month period, 481,440 rations were issued at Kavalla, 339,415 pounds of food being given out. At Serres, another Macedonian town, 256,675 rations were given out in one month and 6,770 persons were given 30,465 garments. At Drama 3,798 persons were fed daily by average count. Tens of thousands were fed in the smaller villages in Macedonia. The total number of garments issued in Macedonia is close to a hundred thousand.

American charity in the Balkans can hardly be reckoned up in figures, now that the Balkan Commission has established headquarters at Saloniki for Montenegro, Albania, Rumania, Greece and North and South Serbia. Millions of American dollars have been spent in the Balkan states in the work of relief—and the work goes on.

Thousands of tons of food have been transported to the starving population of Macedonia. Tens of thousands of blankets have been given away as well as mattresses, beds, coats and bolts of clothing to be made up by Turkish needle workers into clothing for Turkish women. Tons of medical supplies have been issued to hospitals and local doctors and used by American doctors and nurses.

Unclaimed Letters

The following is the list of unclaimed for letters at the Ada post-office yesterday:

Mr. Jimmie Adeock.
Mrs. Sidney Baves.
Mrs. Lillie Bolling.
Miss Willie Blocker.
W. J. Brown.
Watt Brown.
Ben Bunn.
S. C. Cook.
Mrs. Bertha Cooper.
Miss Mattie Crumpton.
Mr. Bryant Daniels.
Mrs. Carrie Daniels.
W. C. Dixon.
Miss Vay Duncan.
Mrs. Eliza Ellis.
Mr. Lee Fink.
Boyd Fowles.
C. E. Golden.
Russ Head.
J. V. Henry.
Claude Jennings.
Mrs. Ethel Johns.
Mrs. Ida King.
Rev. George Johnson.
Mrs. A. W. Laing.
Mrs. C. H. Lanham.
Robert Lee.
Pitt John W. Lewis.
Miss Eula Lyle.
Mrs. Clara Losson.
Mrs. Bonnie Luston.
E. W. McAlester.
Prof. W. H. McCalister.
Mrs. A. J. Mausker.
Mrs. Mattie Nichols.
Chas. W. Odell.
J. G. Rager & Co.
Miss Cora Ryne.
Dillie Street.
Earl Stillwell.
Mrs. L. W. Switzer.
Don Steely.
Miss H. Underwood.
Miss Clara Villine.
N. A. Watson.
Mrs. E. L. Williams.

Farmers Wanting More Elevators For the Wheat

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 18.—The necessity for elevators, especially portable ones, was strongly brought out at a hearing before the Corporation Commission June 4, at

which the railroads, the Agricultural Department at Stillwater, and farmers from many sections of the state were represented.

Representatives of the railroads stated that unusual preparations had been made for moving the wheat. It was shown, however, by reports from the Agricultural Extension Department, that the wheat crop would be greater in this state than ever before, also that many districts had planted wheat for the first time. Such a condition would result in a general shortage of storage with practically no storage provision in the counties where wheat is first planted.

There has also been complaint from the farmers that elevator charges are too high, averaging about 8 cents per bushel. It is claimed that, where farmers have co-operated in running portable elevators, the cost has been about 2 cents.

A practical solution was advanced for the problem by a representative of the railroads who stated that the railroads would discuss matters informally before the commission with the farmers whenever there was any complaint and permit the use of portable elevators where needed without waiting for a formal order from the Commission. This solution seemed to satisfy everyone present.

"We realize that an emergency exists," said Art L. Walker, chairman of the Corporation Commission. "And this commission will do everything in its power to help the farmer handle his grain expeditiously and profitably. It must be remembered, however, that the commission is handicapped by a supreme court decision in case 9354, the Rock Island Railway vs. The State of Oklahoma and the Lawton Grain Co., in which the court ruled: 'The Corporation Commission is without jurisdiction to designate a point on the right-of-way for the location of a portable grain elevator.'"

A MINISTER WHO SEES VALUE OF GOOD ROADS

By the Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—That good roads are the most prominent factor in the development of rural life in the United States was the declaration of Rev. L. M. Birkhead, a Unitarian minister of this city, in recent sermon on improved highway.

"To rid our nation of isolation, poverty, ignorance, and ill health, it is necessary to have more adequate means of communication," Mr. Birkhead said. "The loneliness and isolation of country life, due to bad roads, is likely the most serious hindrance to the proper development of country people."

The following is a summary of what good roads would mean to Missouri and Kansas, according to Mr. Birkhead:

Good roads would:

Greatly increase the value of farm property.

Bring remote agricultural land within practicable hauling distance from railroads.

Make the motor truck economical for farmers.

Lighten the labor of horses and save wear and tear on harness and wagons.

Bring relief from congestion in the fall, and consequently relief from a flooded market.

Enable the farmer to sell his products when the market and not the road is favorable.

Exempt the farmer from the payment of "mud tax."

Extend and improve rural delivery service.

Enhance the personal, social and educational advantages of country life.

Cleaning an Umbrella.

To clean an umbrella place a tablespoonful of sugar in a basin, pour over it half a pint of water and stir till dissolved. Then open the umbrella and, starting from the ferrule, sponge each gore down to the point. Leave the umbrella open till dry.

It is an everlasting duty, the duty of being brave. Valor is still value. The first duty of a man is still that of subduing fear. We must get rid of fear; we cannot act till then. A man shall and must be valiant, he must march forward. Now and always the completeness of his victory over fear will determine how much of a man he is.

Auto Activities

George A. Irwin who lives south of Ada is riding in a new Ford.

Rev. J. M. Vernon of 521 East 16th is another purchaser of a Ford.

Rev. C. C. Morris was added to the number of Ford users last week by the local agency.

W. M. Lucas was here from Tishomingo this week and rode back in a Fordson Tractor, which he purchased from Mr. Harvey.

S. I. Tobias is riding in a new Hudson Super-Six secured from W. E. Harvey, the local agent.

Mrs. W. E. Harvey is driving a new Ford Coupe which carries all the latest mechanical devices such as electric starter, etc.

John Craig is now working at the local Ford agency.

C. R. Miller from Mattoon, Ill., an expert mechanic, is now connected with Mr. Harvey's place on East Main Street.

Frank Kenneth of Stratford has purchased a new Buick from Grant Irwin.

F. A. Ford went to Oklahoma City yesterday to come back in another Essex which he will sell in Ada.

Ed Haynes, expert battery man, is again working with Fleet Cooper, being in charge of Mr. Cooper's battery department.

Buick Employs Returned Soldiers.

Every day at the Buick Motor company's plant at Flint, Michigan, finds many new employees, soldiers and sailors, back at work. Already 1,400 returning fighters have been re-employed, averaging nearly 300 per month or 15 per day. A total of 3,003 employees were in the service of which nearly 40 per cent are back at their old or new positions. Promotions have been frequent among a large number of returning soldiers and sailors for the policy of the company is so broad in this respect that enlisted men are taken care of and placed in positions where their ability is best suited. A personal welcome awaits every soldier and sailor who applies for employment. All employees who are still in the service in this country or abroad will be assigned to old or new positions upon their return to Flint, Michigan. Not only is this policy being applied at the Buick factory, but it has been adopted by every Buick branch and distributor throughout the United States. No manufacturing organization is more proud of their list of fighters than the Buick Motor company, which takes particular consideration in seeing that such enlisted employee is taken care of in every way.

UPGRADING MUCH NEEDED IN AMERICAN INDUSTRIES

WASHINGTON, June 18.—If every soldier were back on his old job the country would still be four million short of its normal number of workers due to the loss of immigration the past four years; if industry does not quickly develop some means for overcoming this shortage it will be seriously handicapped in adjusting itself to new conditions, says officials of the U. S. Training Service of the Department of Labor.

They point out that the country has gone without its normal supply of peace-time commodities for years and now it must replenish freely. Furthermore Europe has lost millions of property and the devastated regions must be made good. It is urged that to meet this extraordinary situation the workers in factories and shops must be assisted in increasing their skill and interest in the work. The estimated shortage in this country of 700,000 workers is cited as showing how far the nation is behind normal production. Training courses in the industrial



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plants, conducted at the employers' expense, are advocated as one of the practical means of putting industry on a normal footing. More than 350 firms have already instituted courses of this sort and according to reports received by the Training Service, have benefited in better production and reduced turnover. The workers on the other hand have increased their skill and broadened their knowledge of their trades.

TO FORM ASSOCIATION OF OPTIMISTS TOMORROW

By the Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 18.—The International Optimists' Association will be formed and officers elected at a meeting of delegates from sixteen cities here tomorrow. Each city now having a local optimists' club is sending a delegation.

W. H. Harrison of Louisville, president pro tem, will preside at the meeting. The constitution and by-laws to be presented for adoption already have been tentatively agreed upon.

Mr. Harrison probably will be elected president. Kansas, Indianapolis and St. Louis are making a strong race for permanent headquarters.

Cities represented in the association are Indianapolis; Springfield, Ill.; St. Louis; Peoria, Ill.; Milwaukee; Chicago; Kansas City; Washington; Buffalo; Syracuse and Rochester, N. Y.; Kansas City, Kan.; Cincinnati and Louisville. Extra large delegations will come from Kansas City, St. Louis and Indianapolis. The latter city will also send a newsboys' brass band.

As set forth in its constitution, the organization's chief aim is to promote interstate trade and good fellowship.

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own risk, as it will simply
mean that you will have to
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get the paper. The boys are
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and the collecting is not part
of their job. Remember, pay
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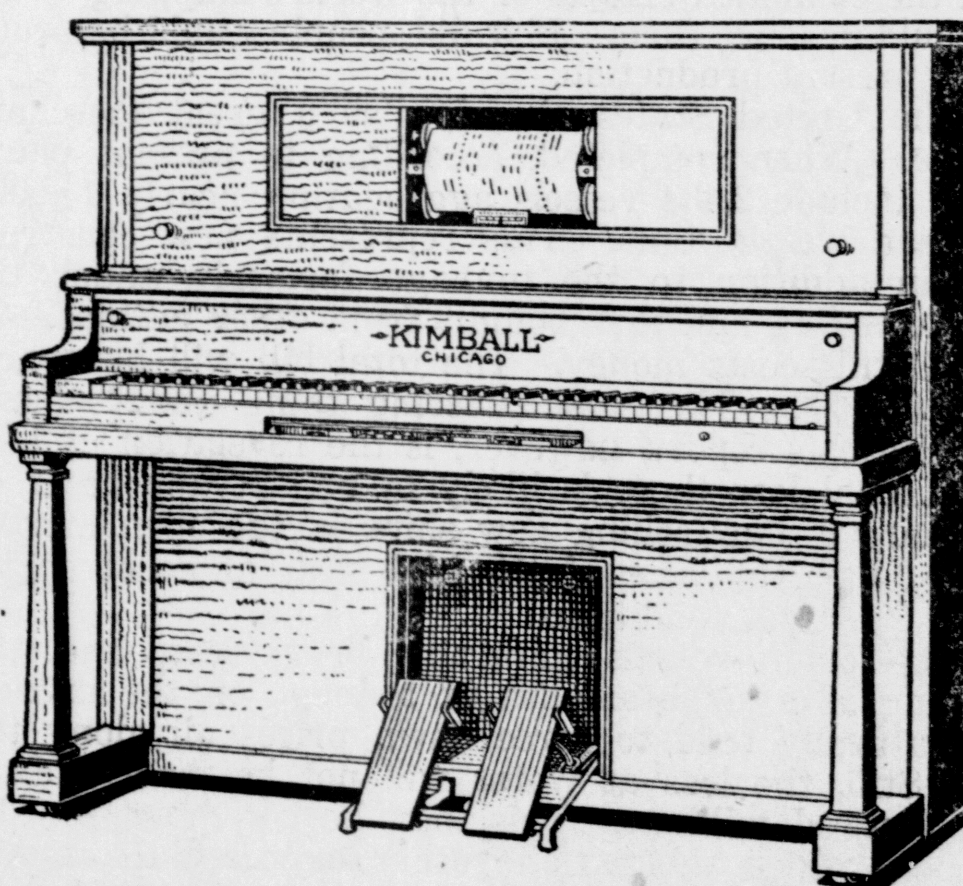


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THE FORTHCOMING REVIVAL.

Those of the city who are prone to dread the strain of the forthcoming Ham-Ramsey revival, coming as it does in the hot month of July, should reflect on the benefit it will be to the city in a material way, to say nothing of the great benefit it is bound to be in a spiritual and moral way.

We have it on good authority that the men who compose this company are men of strong character and individuality, and that their seriousness and conscientious purposes are beyond question.

This means that they will be successful from the standpoint of the minister who wishes to convert sinners and save the souls of men. Being that kind of men they can also bring about results that will add greatly to the material interests of the city and community.

They will cause to be brought together men and women who have not heretofore become acquainted with each other; they will inspire the spirit of co-operation and city building along modern lines, for the very good reason that their experience is nation-wide; they will instill lessons of civic pride and betterment that cannot be estimated; and in many other ways will help to cement the populace into one united band of friends and fellows, among whom no contention should be allowed to exist.

We believe the revival will be worth all it costs from a material standpoint. It is bound to be a blessing from a spiritual standpoint. These things being true, let us get ready to lend the company and our local ministers the support they deserve in this great undertaking.

SAVING ON SHIPS.

To a public that is beginning to find war expenses rather oppressive, there is cheer and encouragement in the report of Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board on the government's big shipping venture.

In the hands of big business men, the Shipping Board has produced and is producing results. The launching of a ship attracts no such attention now as it did when Germany was sinking merchantmen faster than the combined efforts of the world's shipping builders could produce them. If it did, people would be proud of the present production.

The United States already has a great merchant marine. When completed, according to present plans, it will include 2,434 vessels aggregating nearly 14,000,000 dead weight tons. This represents new construction, in addition to the tonnage formerly under the American flag and that bought from other nations.

All this costs money. The total bill will be nearly \$3,000,000,000. The most cheering thing about Chairman Hurley's report, however, is the revelation of how little actual loss there is likely to be. It appears that the board is now selling new ships in the open market for as much, in view of the high cost of construction under war-time conditions.

The older vessels naturally bring less, and the dumping of a large amount of tonnage on the market will naturally tend to force down prices all along the line. Still, the loss at worst will not be more than a few hundred millions. This may be set down to war expenses which the nation rather expected to assume for the sake of the safety given by a big merchant fleet. Or it may be set down to investment for the sake of future trade and industrial expansion. In either event, Uncle Sam, despite the admitted failures and blunders of this vast enterprise, emerges with a pretty good record. Uncle has built for a great emergency the biggest fleet ever turned out to order in a given time, and it will almost pay for itself.

A FIGHT TO THE FINISH.

It is interesting to note that at a conference in Washington with the officials of the United States Public Health Service the representatives of practically every State Board of Health in the United States considered venereal diseases so much a menace that they placed it at the very top of their health program for the coming year.

It means, of course, that the energy of the American medical profession will be united to carry on a finish fight and that at some time in the not very distant future venereal diseases will become remote.

It is also good to note that the work rests on a firm foundation. Backed by the United States government, largely as a war measure, all of the states save five have adopted, or put into effect, legislation for the control of venereal diseases and are making rapid headway toward the eventually goal. The war measure has become a peace-time necessity. Convinced that there are

few diseases as generally prevalent, as easily communicable, and as great an economic drain, the numerous state assemblies and boards of health decided to take advantage of the ground gained through war legislation and clean up right now.

There are just two things lacking to guarantee a quicker success. These are the proper attitude of the public and the co-operation of city and county officials. The states are well organized so far as co-operation with the government is concerned. It now remains for the cities and counties to organize in co-operation with the state board of health.

This quite naturally will come about when the public opens its eyes.

And we might as well begin right here at home. It would be well to realize now as later that the old days have gone for keeps. Not as a measure of reform, but because they were breeders and carriers of venereal diseases, 150 segregated districts with the prostitutes have been put out of business. Scarcely six have been left in the United States. They will never come back.

We should realize that this was accomplished in a little more than a year, and this city must get into the fight or be left behind. It is hardly a time to consider the propriety of the discussion. The United States government and the state boards of health did not hesitate because some people considered "venereal diseases" words which should not be spoken in public. Because they brushed aside false modesty they have made great headway.

We would like to do it here at home. Syphilis, yellow fever, smallpox and gonorrhea are all alike in the lexicon of communicable diseases.

Let us get busy and get our state board of health and the United States public health service to tell us what to do to control these dangerous infections.

DRUG ADDICTION.

Always doubtful of arguments based on "big figures" and "vast majorities," we have not been unduly alarmed by the prediction that when prohibition sets in with real severity the country will turn to drugs. "There are now a million addicts, and the number will increase tenfold" has not seemed a particularly scientific statement. At the same time it is encouraging to have direct testimony bearing out our doubts. It is assumed that a larger proportion of drug addicts is found among the criminal classes than elsewhere. Dr. McNamara says that in the Cook County jail of 57,054 prisoners between 1913 and 1919 only 755 were habitual drug users. He disposes of the belief that crime is due to drug addiction as a "myth," and adds: "Surgeon General Gorgas in his annual report states the fact that 894,000 soldiers were examined by the army surgeons and only 403 were refused as drug users. This tells whether or not the American people are habitual users of narcotic or habit-forming drugs."—Collier's.

REGARDING GOOD BIRDS.

Ornithologists, sportsmen, lovers of wild life and agricultural experts of late years have been co-operating in a great propaganda in behalf of the birds. Starting with a desire to stop the senseless and thoughtless slaughter of song and game birds, they soon got down to a utilitarian basis, arguing for the preservation of the birds because of their practical value to man.

It is along this line that they have done their most effective work—more people have been moved by interest than by sentiment. And the campaign has gone farther than anyone might have expected, as accurate observation developed facts about birds that had formerly been ignored.

It has been found that nearly all of the feathered creatures of the woods and fields are of service to the human race because they feed on insect pests and other destroyers of food crops. A good report has been given of those traditional nuisances of the country and city respectively, the crow and the English sparrow. And now some expert caps the climax by pronouncing the hated "hen-hawk" actually the friend of the farmer, because, though he may kill an occasional chicken, he amply makes up for it by his depredations of field mice and other rodents and by his consumption of insects when he fails to bag larger game.

Perhaps we shall be obliged yet to apply to birds the legendary Kentucky gentleman's judgment on whiskey: "There is no bad whisky; some is better than others—that's all."

Can it be that there are really no bad birds? At present, that seems the safest assumption. Certainly, for the non-expert citizen, it is safer and wiser to let them all live than to try killing off those of ill repute; for even if it is granted that some birds ought to be exterminated, the self-appointed executioner is likely to slay ten friends to one foe.

Don't go to the postoffice before July 1st and stock up on three cent stamps, because after that your letter postage will be only two cents, as of old. Not only that but you may never get rid of them, as they will not be exchanged for stamps of other denominations. Two-cent post cards and three cent stamped envelopes will be exchanged for stamps and supplies in other denominations, but they will not be exchanged for currency. No exchanges at all will be made after August 1st.

Beginning at six o'clock Thursday night, June 26, the war will be on again, unless the "Dutch" sign on the dotted line. Is it too much to hope that the war is over?

Speaking about jobs—there are just oodles of jobs in the strawberry and cherry sections of Missouri and Arkansas and at wages usually paid bank cashiers, too.

BATTLE ROYAL AT VAGRANCY TRIAL

Justice H. J. Brown's court was the scene of a battle royal between lawyers for the defense and prosecution this morning when the case of George Ray, charged with vagrancy, came up for trial.

Ray is a returned soldier, 29 years old. He served in the army for ten months and was discharged April 9th, arriving in Ada April 22. It was said in the charge that he had loitered on the streets of Ada since that date and was seen continuously in company with men of doubtful reputations and that Ray had not worked since he arrived here and would not go to work.

The prosecution announced in advance that they would not try to convict Ray of being a gambler. The state represented by Prosecuting Attorney Wayne Wadlington, introduced the following as witnesses: Mayor Kitchens, who had fined Ray twice on charges of loitering; Police Wick Adair and W. F. Anderson, Sheriff Bob Duncan and Constable Walter Goynes. The defense represented by Attorney John Crawford, placed only one witness on the stand, Ray himself, and an honorable discharge Ray had received from the United States army.

Mr. Crawford in his defense, hotly protested the introduction of evidence all through the trial and stated that they would acknowledge that Ray had not worked and was not now working, but showed that Ray did not need to work as he had plenty of money and was simply resting as a good citizen until such time as he wished to again take up civilian pursuits. At times he waxed so eloquent in his appeal to the jury to be lenient with this patriotic soldier that he brought tears to the eyes of spectators and to his own eyes. He spoke in vigorous tones of Officers Adair and Goynes who were trying to convict this soldier and stated that even though the soldier were now a vagrant he would be a better citizen after having served his country than these men are who were in the draft age and stayed at home.

Ray was raised in Alabama but has lived in Ada and other parts of Oklahoma for many years.

The jury made up of the following citizens deliberated but a few minutes and found the defendant not guilty: Frank W. Chambers, Calhoun Sparks, E. H. Morris, Chief Henry, E. R. Vaughan, and L. C. Lindsey, foreman.

Tulsa World: The Mexican ambassador protests against Mr. Gillett's reference to Mexico as an "impediment." The Chicago Tribune moves that the word be stricken out and "damned nuisance" substituted.

SAN ANTONIO EDUCATOR TO SPEAK TOMORROW

Supt. Meek, who for the past six years has been superintendent of the San Antonio, Tex., city schools, is at the Normal in connection with a plan on the part of all the Normal schools to put in a system of council for the Normals. Mr. Meek had already been employed for similar work in the eastern part of the country but because of his extreme interest in the schools of the southwest he gave up that work to take up the work with the Normal schools of Oklahoma. He is one of the most prominent educators in the state of Texas and the southwest.

This is one of a series of lectures of this nature to be delivered at the summer Normal. Mr. Meek will be here for three days.

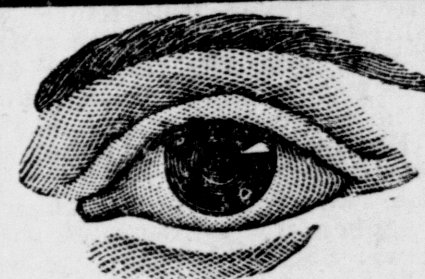
MORE TRANSPORTS ARRIVE WITH AMERICAN SOLDIERS

NEW YORK, June 18. — Three transports carrying 14,474 troops, arrived here today from French ports. They were the America and Agamemnon from Brest with 7,013 and 5,768 troops, respectively, and the Duca d'Abruzzi from Marseilles with 1,688.

Oklahoma City News: You can drive a man to sarsaparilla but you can't make him drink it.

Methodist Membership Drive. Say, have you joined the Methodist Church yet? If you reside in Ada, your membership should not be in some other city. Join at once. We are expecting a new member for each day during the month of June. Phone the pastor at 6-2-2 and talk with him concerning the transfer of your name from the place where you used to live. Be on hand next Sunday morning to be received into fellowship. WALLACE M. CRUTCHFIELD, Pastor.

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If Ada is to Keep Pace with Wewoka, Madill, Wetumka and Other Progressive Towns of This Section, We Must Have a Band.

Those of You Who Have Horns and Music Belonging to the Band Will Please Bring Them Back to the Practice Hall.

COME ON, TELL YOUR FRIENDS, LET'S GO!

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After Taking a "Straw" Vote, the Softs Seem to Have It.

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Stacy Adams, \$7.50 to \$11.00
Ralstons, \$5.50 to \$7.50



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THE TOWN GOSSIP

By MILTON LESTER

LAST NIGHT.
I WALKED.
INTO JACK Moore's.
AND WHILE I was.
IN THE hall.
A FELLOW came up to me.
AND HE said:
"IS THIS Mr. Lester?"
AND I told him.
THAT IT was.
AND HE said:
"I AM awfully glad to meet you."
AND I thanked him.
AND HE said:
"I HAVE been reading.
"YOUR STUFF."
"FOR A long time."
"AND I want to tell you.
"HOW MUCH I enjoy it."
AND I began.
TO FEEL my shirt getting tight.
ACROSS MY breast.
AND HE went on.
AND SAID:
"YOUR PAPER is one of the best.
"THAT I read.
"AND I find it.
"SO INTERESTING.
"THAT I sometimes miss.
"MY SUPPER.
"BECAUSE I can't.
"LAY IT down long enough.
"TO EAT."
AND I felt my hat.

GROWING TIGHT on my head.
AND HE gave me a cigar.
AND TOOK me by the arm.
AND LED me over to a chair.
IN THE corner.
AND THEN he pulled out a book.
FROM HIS pocket.
AND HE said:
"I have here.
"AN INTERESTING volume.
"ON THE life.
"OF JUDGE J. W. Bolen.
"WHICH I am sure.
"WILL INTEREST you.
"AND SEEING that you.
"ARE LABORING.
"IN THE literary field.
"I WILL make you.
"A PRICE on it.
"OF TWO dollars.
"AND A half."
AND THERE was only.
ONE THING for me to do.
AND I did it.
I PULLED out.
TWO DOLLARS.
AND TOOK the book.
AND LEFT him.
AND AS I was going out.
I SAW another man.
LOOK AT me.
AS THOUGH he.
RECOGNIZED ME.
BUT I didn't stop.
I THANK you.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.
Lowery Harrell went to Chelsea today for a visit.

F. J. McFarland of the Harris Hotel is now riding in a new Cadillac which he purchased in McAlester of recent date.

Chism Barnett came in yesterday afternoon from San Angelo, Texas, on a visit to his mother, Mrs. L. Barnett.

Mrs. Frances Allen, mother of Mrs. Alfred Vaden, returned this week from Beaumont, Texas, where she spent this past winter.

Max Donald Westbrook returned home last night from a three weeks' visit with his aunt, Mrs. W. M. Burton, at Tulsa.

The eighteen months old baby, Norman Hulsey, who was operated on at the hospital a few days ago, is reported to be doing nicely.

Little Amy Graves, who was brought to the hospital for an operation for appendicitis about a week ago, is recovering nicely and was able to go to her home near McGee today.

Mrs. Lula Ingram left today for a visit to relatives at Fort Worth.

D. W. Swaffer of the Tax Collector's office says the chiggers are getting so bad now that some men have suggested the use of trousers lined with sand paper to "work while you walk."

It is reported that F. P. Lieullen, former Ada attorney who left here to act as general counsel for the Skelly & Sankey Oil interests at Oklahoma City, has become wealthy in the oil game with his company.

Mr. Lieullen's individual holdings are said to be worth in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Yandell Lain made a business trip to Dallas, Texas, and Duncan this afternoon.

J. H. Cornwell, traveling salesman for Nat-Ribback Company, Chicago, was a caller at Stevens-Wilson Dry Goods company this afternoon.

Hugh Taylor has arrived from the demobilization camp with his discharge. We will have more to say about him tomorrow.

Mrs. W. H. Bowie and little daughter returned to their home at Stratford yesterday afternoon after a visit at the home of W. E. Brinlee.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor returned this morning from an extended visit in Tishomingo and Ardmore where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. M. Lucas, and friends.

Mrs. J. A. Napier and children have returned to their home in Vernon, Texas, after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thompson, of 119 East Seventeenth.

Miss Zelma Lowe received word this morning that her sister, Mrs. J. C. Templeton, of Wichita, Kan., has recovered sufficiently to be brought home from the hospital where she has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Fannie Mae McCain of 313 West Sixteenth was taken suddenly ill Tuesday morning with an attack of appendicitis. She is reported to be somewhat better today, however, an operation may have to be performed to insure her recovery.

Mrs. D. H. Laird of Kilgore, Texas, is visiting her brother, H. C. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson on Seventeenth street. Mrs. Laird is living on the plantation settled by her father, B. F. Thompson, in 1844, coming from Batesville, Ark., to Texas in that year.

One of the most enjoyable evenings of this season was spent in dancing Tuesday evening at the city hall. Some twenty or twenty-five couples were present when their chaperones were Mesdames R. W. Simpson and J. W. Brown. Music was furnished by the Schreiber orchestra.

Straws of Prosperity.

McAlester News-Capital: Haileyville will build a new church, Harts-horne plans to pave its principal business streets, Kiowa has just completed a modern grain elevator. Indianola gets a bridge that will connect it with a new trade territory. Krebs has a new bank building already under course of construction, a new bridge costing \$10,000 is being completed over the Canadian river that will introduce Pittsburg county to northern traffic, while Quinton is in the midst of a recently developed gas field that has untold possibilities.

These are merely a few of the figurative straws that proclaim to the world at large and the state of Oklahoma in particular just what this little empire of a commonwealth in Southeastern Oklahoma is doing.

Muskogee Times-Democrat: Those soldiers who used to creep down to a listening post in No Man's Land and scout for Hun attacks, ought to have a good training for getting across a city street infested with automobiles.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

GAS TAKES FIRE IN NORTH ADA TODAY

The fire alarm about 11:30 this morning was caused by gas taking fire in an alley between Fifth and Sixth streets, in the five hundred block on the north side.

The company engaged in laying sanitary sewers were cutting a ditch in the alley with their big ditching machine when it suddenly struck a gas main and bursted a hole in it. The heat from the machine ignited the gas and caused quite a blaze.

The fire alarm was turned in and the fire machines responded, but the chemicals could do nothing to the gas flame. Holes were dug to the gas mains at each end of the alley and the gas cut off. In this manner the blaze was soon extinguished. The blaze took place close up to a barn and it was with some degree of effort on the part of the fire department, who worked like beavers, that the barn was saved.

Croix De Guerre to Lieut. Richard Harrison, Dec.

Senator Luther Harrison, editor of the Star-Democrat, has just shown us a letter from the war department, addressed to his sister-in-law, Mrs. Annie Harrison, of Wewoka, together with a Croix de Guerre with Palm, Citation Certificate and translation of the same.

Lieutenant Harrison was a brother of Senator Harrison, of this city, and was with Company F, 142nd Infantry, and was killed in France. This honor was conferred on the late Lieutenant Harrison by the French government and is a document that the family will no doubt prize as an heirloom for years to come.

The citation for bravery is in the French and, when translated, contains the following approbation:

"Lieutenant Richard Harrison, 142nd Regiment, Infantry, d'Infanterie Americain.

"A very courageous officer. Placed at the head of a group occupying a most unfavorable position, by his audacity and coolness he encouraged his men under a violent fire of the enemy. Killed while inspecting his sector.

Signed: "PETAIN, "Commander-in-chief of the French Armies of the East, March 30, 1919."

CLEMENCEAU APOLOGIZES FOR ANTI-GERMAN DEMONSTRATION

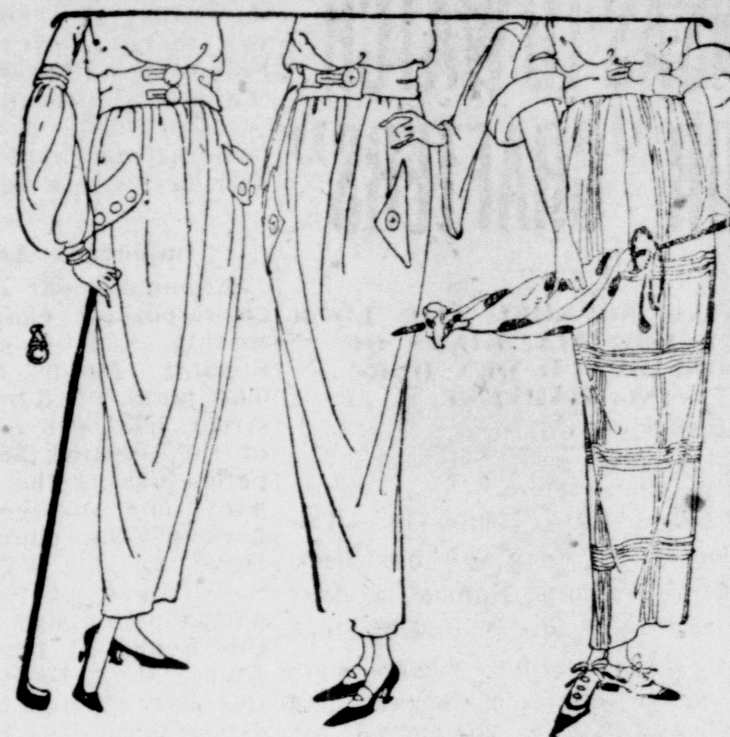
By the Associated Press

PARIS, June 18.—In his letter to the head of the German peace delegation, apologizing for the demonstration against the Germans at Versailles, M. Clemenceau expressed deep regret for this reprehensible act which was contrary to the laws of hospitality.

There is rejoicing in the A. T. Watson home over a bouncing baby boy, who arrived Monday morning.

Wash Skirts

---for immediate wear



In these days when women select clothes for their goodness, these summer skirts will receive their full share of attention. Service giving quality has been thoroughly emphasized, yet novelty in tailoring shows the influence of smartness.

\$1.50 to \$10.00

New Summer Hats

New shipments of mid-summer hats added to our big collection—some of the most beautiful fashions produced this season. We invite you to come and see them.

New Milans and Taffeta Hats

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Judge J. F. McKeel went to Oklahoma City yesterday afternoon.

T. E. Cullens from Okmulgee is down on a visit to his son, T. O. Cullins.

J. Ward Boyce from San Antonio, Texas, is here visiting Miss Lenora McKendree.

Vauda E. Black is another soldier lately to arrive from the demobilization camp.

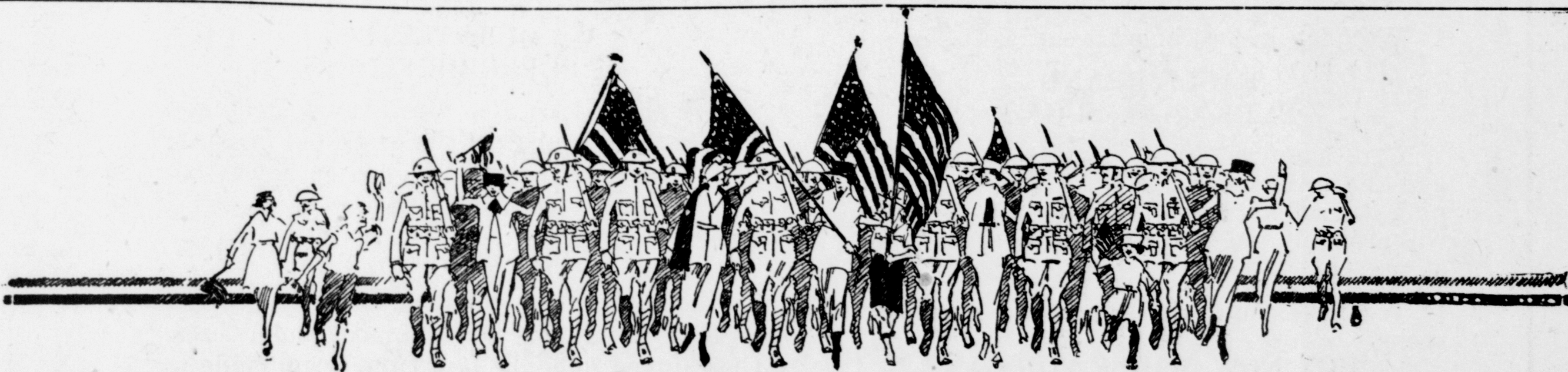
ALL THE PEOPLE wanted to-night at Community Prayer Meeting at First Baptist church.

Mrs. C. H. Rives and little daughter Frances have returned from several days visit at Gainesville, Texas.

REV. C. V. DUNN will lead the Community Prayer Meeting this evening at the First Baptist church. It

Mrs. J. H. Fowler left this morning for an extended visit in Springfield, Illinois, and at Rochester, New York.

Capt. Sam H. Hargis left yesterday afternoon for Oklahoma City to take up his work with the state government.



The Shepherd of The Hills — AMERICAN THEATRE — STARTING TODAY!

From Harold Bell Wright's Great Novel
Filmed among the scenic wonders
of the Ozarks



Broke all records Kansas City, Little Rock and Tulsa. It will break all records here. We urge every woman and child, who can possibly do so, to attend the afternoon shows to avoid the crowded conditions at night. Same Show, same music.

JIM LANE—The hardy Kentucky gentleman who carried a great burden, but thought the world of his beautiful daughter, Sammy Lane.

YOUNG MATT—The giant lover of the hills, and Old Matt, his father.

LITTLE PETE—Plaintive and pathetic, the greatest child character in fiction.

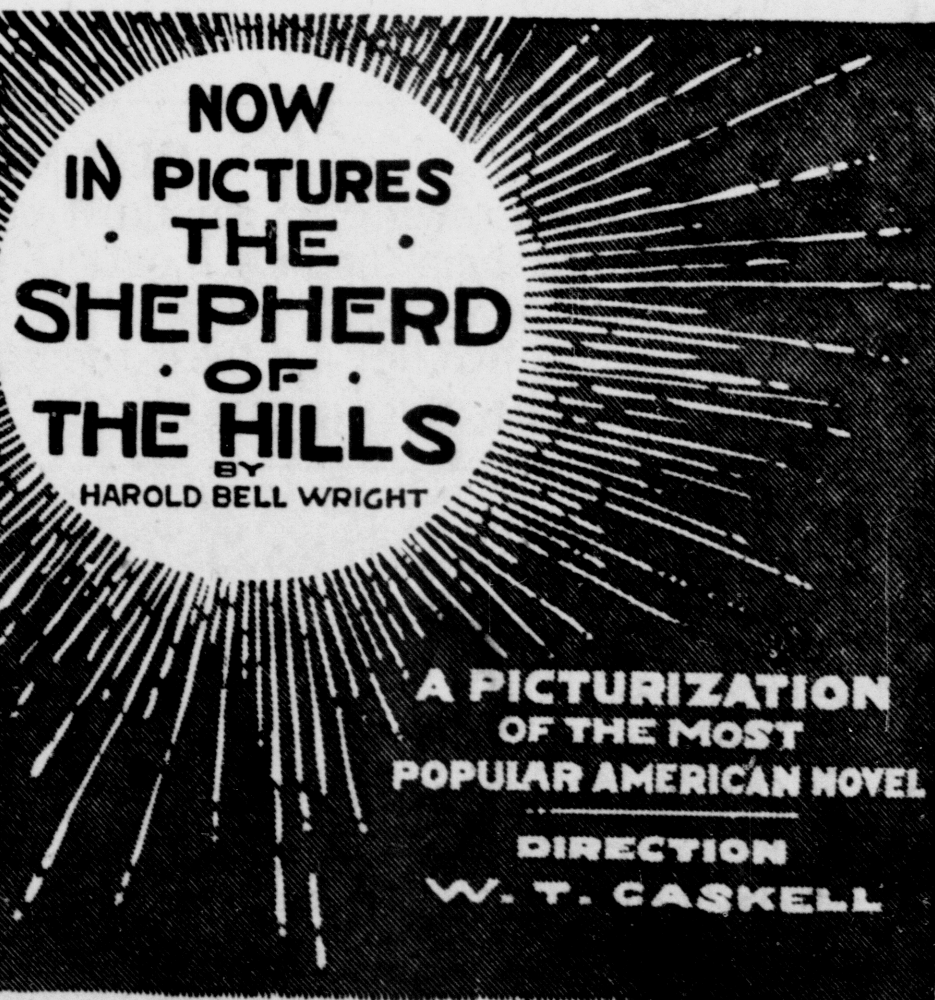
WASH GIBBS—The mountain bully who ruled with might until he found his match.

THE BELOVED SHEPHERD—Who found peace and happiness in the Ozarks and brought contentment to the souls of all who there abided.

Personally selected by this theater management as the GREATEST PICTURE OF THE YEAR, and one that will appeal to all classes of people.

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THE HILLS
BY
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A PICTURIZATION
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A Page From the Book of Life
A Paramount Arctcraft Special With
ROBERT HARRON AND LILLIAN GISH
Directed by D. W. Griffith
It's One Play You Must Not Miss
SHOWING TODAY AND TOMORROW

KANSAS TO WATCH FOR "GRAFTERS"

WARNING SOUNDED TO LOOK OUT FOR ALL KINDS OF CONFIDENCE MEN DURING HARVEST.

By the Associated Press

TOPEKA, Kan., June 18.—The full gamut of warnings has been sounded throughout Kansas, against the incursions of undesirables during the pending wheat harvest. Never before, it is said, has there been such a variegated assortment of warnings issued in Kansas. These warnings, however, generally have been received in the spirit in which they were given, officials declare, and the result is that the state is prepared all along the line to handle any of the various kinds of conspirators, thieves, or "con" men whose advent has been heralded generously.

Possibly the most emphasis has been placed by officials on the possibilities of the invasion of the state by members of the I. W. W. Two years ago, it is recalled, Kansas was a fertile field for the operations of agitators, because no precautions had been taken against such activities. Hence in a number of communities there were disorders; homes were threatened, communities terrorized and considerable property destroyed, both in the agricultural areas and in the oil fields.

Word has been sent to all peace officers to enforce strictly the vagrancy laws—state and local—under which they may arrest workless visitors and those who engage in undue propaganda and agitation.

Kansas has been warned by various officials, against:

Auto thief bands; confidence men, "blue sky" dispensers; safe blowers; fire bugs; "soap box orators" and hold-up men.

A movement for preparedness has been under way for many weeks. The sheriffs of the various counties have met and talked over the situation. They will have additional deputies during the harvest season, in each township. City officials—mayors and police chiefs—met recently and discussed the problems offered by the influx of some 120,000 men from outside the state. There are a score of Kansas National Guard companies and nearly 200 State Guard companies, scattered throughout the state, the latter being especially strong in the wheat producing counties. These

men have been authorized to maintain order in their respective counties, to run down law breakers and round up agitators. Last Saturday the county attorneys held a meeting in Hutchinson to consult on their powers to combat attempts of conspiring visitors to prey on Kansas.

Important Announcement.

Announcement is hereby made of an important change in the directorship and management of the Sterling Motor Supply Company. The plant of Emory Bros., on 12th street, has been combined with that of the Sterling Motor Supply Company, making the stock of the company one of the largest in this part of the country. Thomas P. Holt, L. T. Walters and R. F. Smith have severed their connection with the company and resigned from the Board of Directors, and J. T. Emory, Mont Emory and W. H. Nettles have been duly elected to the directorship to fill the vacancies thus made. The new Board of Directors now consists of James R. Hounshell, president; Mont Emory, vice-president; J. T. Emory, secretary-treasurer, and W. H. Nettles, all of Ada, and J. W. Ragland, of Okman.

The two plants will be combined at the large building of Emory & Norman, on 12th street, near the old postoffice corner. All members of the said Board of Directors will be actively engaged in the management of the company with the exception of Mr. Ragland.

The vulcanizing plant of the new company has at last arrived and has been installed and the company is now ready to do all kinds of vulcanizing work. All the active directors are experienced tire men and know the business from A to Z. This company has from three to four hundred stockholders scattered over Pontotoc, Coal, Murray, Johnson and Garvin counties. With the new combination its success is assured.

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of education of the city of Roff, Oklahoma, up to 1 o'clock p. m., June 30, 1919, for the construction and completion of a High School building. Plans and specifications are on file at the clerk's office. A certified check for ten per cent of the amount must accompany all bids. Address T. A. Hill, Clerk, Roff, Oklahoma.

6-13-15td

Collector for the Mothers Magazine Home Reading Club will call on subscribers east of Katy track this week.

6-16-18

Hemstitching at 312 East Thirtieth. Prompt service and satisfaction guaranteed. Telephone 194-R.—Mrs. George Harrison.

6-14-ft

OLD LANDMARK TO JUNK HEAP!

WASHINGTON HOUSE AT PHILADELPHIA TO BE TORN DOWN AS RESULT OF PROHIBITION.

By the Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—Another landmark of George Washington is to go into the discard.

The historic Washington House, noted as a hotel since 1746, is to be torn down as soon as prohibition becomes effective, it is announced. In its place will be erected a modern hotel, office building and theatre.

The place is filled with reminiscences of Washington and revolutionary times. Washington retreated to it after the disaster of Brandywine. A bronze tablet reads: "In this room September 11, 1777, Washington wrote the only report of the battle of Brandywine."

Previously Washington had been a guest in this hostelry then known as the Washington Arms and again, when making the journey from Washington to New York, when he was elected president, he with his retinue had breakfast in the hotel's dining room. To commemorate this event the Daughters of the American Revolution erected a tablet reading:

"This marks this house as the place where Washington wrote at midnight the only report of the battle of Brandywine, September 11, 1777. Here Washington also received the congratulations of the people of Chester upon his election as the first president of the United States, April 20, 1789."

After the evacuation of Philadelphia by the British army the name of the hotel was changed to the Washington House.

On each occasion when Washington stopped at the hotel the best room in the house was placed at his disposal. The fine mahogany chairs which were in this room are still preserved as historic relics.

When Washington departed from Chester for New York for his inauguration ceremony he rode a splendid white horse, the gift of the citizens of Darby, Pa., nearby. As he rode away he passed the Plow and Harrow Inn, which had the reputation of being the best kept tavern in the colonies. There it was that Lafayette's wounds were

dressed by Mary Gorman on the night of the battle of Brandywine.

Teachers Organizing.

The American Federation of Teachers, an organization of the public school teachers of the United States, affiliated with both the American Federation of Labor and the National Women's Trade League, has chartered since its formation a total of seventy local unions in the various states.

Information reaching the United States Department of Labor indicates that the wave of organization among educators is spreading rapidly in all sections of the country. Recently teachers in Boston, including Harvard professors, have organized into the Greater Boston Federation of Teachers, and the faculty of the University of Illinois also includes a local union.

Relief from the present inadequate salary scale of teachers, which in the whole United States averages \$600 per year, with thousands receiving only \$300 and \$400 per year, is announced as one of the principal aims of the new organization.

Already, it is claimed, gratifying results have been achieved by means of the teachers' affiliation with the organized labor movement. In New York, with the assistance of the New York State Federation of Labor, the passage of a bill in the legislature has been secured, allowing an average raise of \$100 per year in the pay of teachers. The teachers' unions in Washington have, within the past two years, secured congressional action raising their minimum salary from \$500 to \$750 per year. After July 1 they will also share in the \$240 increase obtained for all government employees by the National Federation of Federal Employees, with the teachers co-operating. A local in Madison, Wis., which is less than six months old, by taking active part in the local primaries and election, secured a non-partisan board of education, and so impressed itself upon the community that the retiring board granted an annual increase of \$150 to the teachers before its term of office expired.—Typographical Journal.

Mr. Bryan's Advice.

William Jennings Bryan has forecast his view of the presidential situation in 1920 in the April issue of the Commoner. He appeals for the selection of a young candidate to lead the Democrats in what he expects to be a "bitter fight." He either opposes the nomination of President Wilson for a third term or does not expect the president to be a candidate for re-election.

Mr. Bryan says in the Commoner: "If the Democratic party is to remain the champion of the masses and secure for them their rights, it must be looking around for a presi-

dential candidate for 1920—a young man, old enough to have won the people's confidence and yet young enough to organize and lead the fight against private monopoly. He may not win in 1920. It may take as long as it did to win the fight commenced in 1896, but we must begin now. Look about you. Find a David who is not afraid—one who can slay the giant of error with pebbles of truth."—Rocky Mountain News.

OPTOMETRISTS ASK LAW INCREASING LICENSE FEES OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June

18.—At the annual meeting of the Oklahoma Optometrists Association here last week, Dr. Marcus Morgan, of Bartlesville was elected president, Edward Carr, Chickasha, secretary and treasurer, and C. E. Williams, Woodward and C. M. Justice, Perkins, were named vice-presidents, M. N. J. Holt, Stillwater was chosen delegate to the national convention.

The association passed a resolution calling for an amendment of the present state law in order to increase the annual state license fee for practicing optometrists to \$2 instead of \$1.

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NO ACETANILIDE

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Trial Bottle 10c; also larger sizes

Wholesome Food Keeps the Children Well

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes, a delicious, healthful fruit, and that is why it produces wholesome food, superior in texture and keeping quality.

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STANFIELD'S GROCERY AND MARKET

We have just received a carload of—

EAGLE BRAND PURE CANE SUGAR

Cane sugar is daily becoming more scarce, and the great consumption of sugar in canning will soon exhaust the supply. Cane sugar will probably rise to a much higher price than at present.

We have sugar in 10, 25 and 100-pound sacks.

BUY NOW, WHILE YOU CAN GET THE PURE STUFF

See our display of Sunshine Crackers, Cakes and Wafers; also the famous Stone's Cakes.

A QUARTETTE OF SUPERIOR FLOURS

We sell Wapco, Red Star, Arrow Head and Leader, four brands of the best flour obtainable. Guaranteed to be as good as it was before the war. No substitutes are used in this flour.

Have a large shipment of DOMINO CANE SYRUP in gallons, halves and smaller sizes. Guaranteed to be the best cane syrup made.

Our Grocery Department for both Staple and Fancy Groceries is unexcelled in the State of Oklahoma. We guarantee satisfaction with everything we sell.

CARLOAD OF FEEDSTUFF

We are unloading a car of Shorts and Bran. We also carry a full line of other feed-stuffs.

CARLOAD OF SALT

We have received a carload of salt; Medicated and Plain Stock Salt in 50-pound blocks. Also Barrel Salt.

FRUIT JARS

We have an abundant supply of Fruit Jars, Jar Tops and Rubbers.

Our Fruits and Vegetables are fresh daily. The great volume we have attained in this trade has enabled us to not only sell the best, but also to sell it at the lowest prices.

OUR MEAT MARKET

—is still growing in popularity. New customers show up here daily and we serve them the best meats the market affords. We butcher our own meats when it is possible to obtain the class of cattle our trade demands; otherwise we buy the best the packers have. Special for this week—

PICNIC HAMS 30c PER POUND

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

4 Staples

100 Pounds Pure Cane Sugar
100 Pounds Red Star Flour
3 One-Pound Packages Red Seal Coffee
1 Eight-Pound Can White Cloud Lard

All for \$20

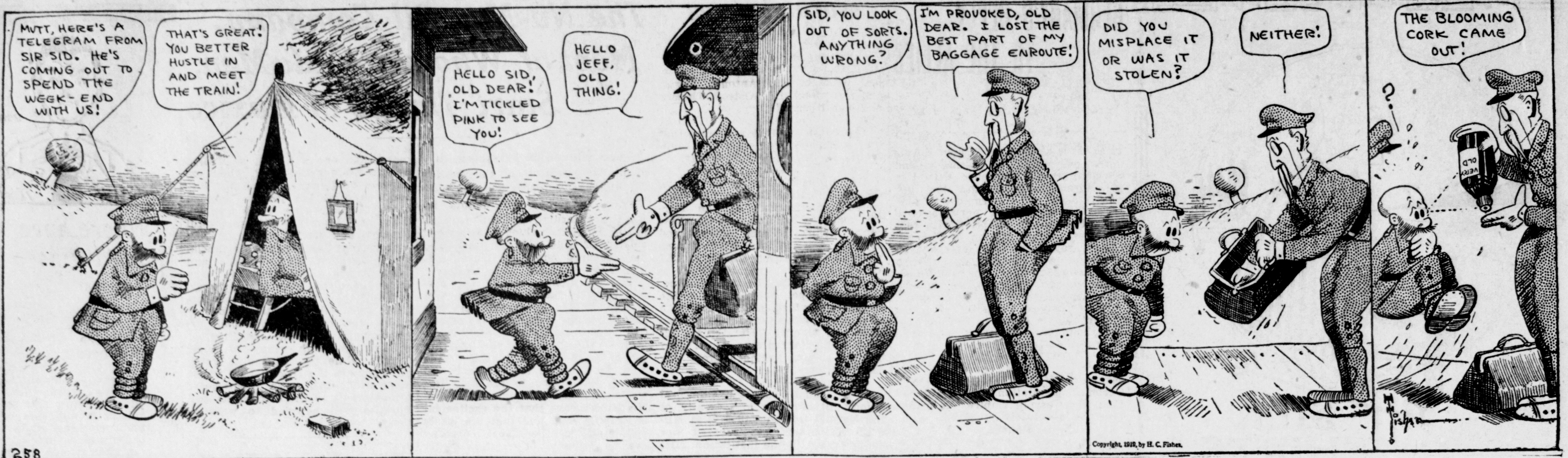
LAST, BUT NOT LEAST: OUR SERVICE. OUR SERVICE IS NOW SUPERB, BUT YOU CAN HELP US. WHEN OUR DELIVERY BOYS ARE LATE, LET US KNOW. IF ANYTHING SHOWS UP WRONG, TELL US ABOUT IT — AND TALK TO US AS IF YOU OWNED THIS STORE

Stanfield's Grocery and Market

THREE PHONES—CALL 402

(By H. C. Fisher)

MUTT AND JEFF—With July First Coming, This is a Calamity.



New's Wants

FOUND

FOUND—On Hope Ave., between 11th and Main, crank for Ford car. Owner can get same at the News office by paying for this ad. 6-17-2t

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. News office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Piano, first class condition. Inquire at 409 East 10th. 6-18-1t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Studebaker 7-passenger 1918 model. One Ford 5-passenger 1918 model. Service Garage. Phone 163. 6-17-3t

WE MOVE HOUSES—Well equipped to move any kind and size of house. Satisfaction guaranteed. Scarbrough & Matherly. Phone 684. 5-24-1mo

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room house and barn. Inquire 614 West Ninth street. 6-11-1t

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms. Modern. 117 East Eighth. Phone 356. 6-13-1t

FOR RENT—6 room house one block north of park, \$20.00 per month.—W. E. Scott, Snow White Barber shop. 6-17-2t*

S. O. S.

FRIENDS AND PATRONS:

The statements I have made show you that some of my troubles result from the demand of ice delivery in such small quantities, that the price we get does not pay for the service—you want your ice delivered by noon, which means that we must have enough delivery outfits to cover the entire city in the forenoon, thus doubling the quantity that would be needed if the deliveries were distributed throughout the day, and doubling the cost of service.

The Government Food Administration, after investigating these matters, recommended the elimination of number of wasteful methods in order to avoid the necessity of increasing the price of ice, especially to working people and small consumers. These recommendations will work to your benefit, and among them are these:

That ice be distributed upon coupons to all customers as nearly as possible.

That a large part of the small sales be made from local ice boxes, or at the wagon instead of attempting delivery into houses.

These rules enable them to maintain service, and give good values, and benefits the customer, and are based upon years of experience of the people in the industry.

Also, special deliveries to residences which cost always more than the amount realized from the sale are entirely discontinued except in case of sickness.

This is the help we ask of you now: namely, BUY COUPONS, and for minimum quantities of 25 pounds—as much more as you can afford.

Ada Ice & Cold Storage Co.

New's Wants

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Jersey milch cow, fresh. Robt. Wimbish. 6-16-3t

FOR SALE—Modern house, 922 E. Main. Inquire Shelton Undertaking Co.

FOR SALE—Goodyear Tires and Tubes. Look 'em over.—Grant Irwin. 6-17-3t

FOR SALE—Small 2-year-old fresh Jersey cow; just the type for town use. 301 East 13th. Call 194-J.

FOR SALE—Best lot on East side, facing Normal campus.—Frank Yeargain. Phone 128. 6-14-1t

FOR SALE—Last year's alfalfa hay, No. 1 grade; weight 72 lbs. per bale.—Ada Ice and Cold Storage. 6-13-1t

FOR SALE—Several choice residence lots. Might exchange for close in residence property. Address Box 892. 6-11-1t

FOR SALE—Five room house, 310 West 16th. Small cash payment, balance like rent. See Mrs. C. D. Price, at Burk's. 6-17-3t*

FOR SALE—One Reo Six, been used some, run less than 3,000 miles. One extra good Willys Six, been run less than 4,000 miles. See J. W. Davis. 6-11-1t

FOR SALE—Five-room modern house, 2 1-2 blocks high school; possession July 1; very reasonable; might consider auto in deal. See Cloer at Commercial Hotel. 6-16-4t

FOR SALE—All my purebred Silver Wyandotte chickens. This includes some of the best birds in the state. None better anywhere.—Reuben M. Roddie. 6-6-1t

FOR SALE—County blue print maps, oil lease blocks, departmental leases, commercial and departmental guardian leases.—Ada News. 5-27-1t

FOR SALE—Chalmers Six... \$700
Buck 7 passenger... 1250
Buick 5 passenger... 550
Overland 5 passenger... 450
Jack Rabbit 5 passenger... 550
Hudson striped roadster... 250
Guaranteed condition.—Grant Irwin. Phone No. 2. 6-17-3t

FOR SALE—Six-room modern residence, well located, on 17th Street; beautiful shade trees; on splendid site.

Two desirable residence lots on 15th and Townsend.

One lot, beautiful building site, on 17th street.

Two residence lots on East 9th street, close in. Attractive terms. Ada Title & Trust Co. Phone 72. 6-18-3t

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WANTED—A lady cook at Commercial Hotel. Apply in person. 6-16-4t.

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Learn From Mistakes.

If you make a mistake don't look back at it long. Take the reason of the thing into your own mind, and then look forward. Mistakes are lessons of wisdom.—Hugh White.

Our cut flowers were never better than they now are. Sweet Peas, Carnations, Dahlias and other flowers.—Ada Green House. 6-14-1t

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theodor's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theodor's Black-Draught."

Theodor's Black-Draught will help you to keep fit, ready for the day's work. Try it! NC-131

Utopia in Winnipeg.

There is a beautiful demonstration going on in Winnipeg, Canada, of essential Bolshevism. If a Winnipegian is allowed to eat, if he takes a drink of milk or water, if he doesn't go to bed in the dark, he enjoys the favor of the clemency and august permission of the strike committee. How long that clemency and permission will last he doesn't know. Even if it does last, the stopping of transportation at the best of the same gracious authorities may soon make him hungry and thirsty, and send him to bed to reflect upon the beauties of the new government that is taking charge of him.

Some 35,000 "workers" are now demonstrating their profession by not working. The stores are shut up. They can't get any more goods to sell. If newspapers were published, they couldn't print the news on tell the truth. The press censors of the strike committee, faithful to their Russian models, will not allow that. As a matter of fact, no Winnipeg newspaper has appeared since Thursday of last week. The fire department has struck. If Winnipeg is not burned up it will not be the fault of its temporary masters. No trains, no mail, no telephone or telegraph messages unless on matters of death and what is ironically called "the government." Where the government of Winnipeg is, and what it is doing, is clear. What the government of Winnipeg is, and the dominion government is doing, or intends to do is far from clear. Here are 35,000 persons with votes. One has to be careful, one has been careful, about interfering with their little diversions.

Still, this Bolshevik interim, this suspension of all lawful authority, cannot long continue. There are men of many races in Manitoba. A few years ago newspapers in forty-two languages were published in Winnipeg. For the moment in that city it seems that they have borrowed the beginnings of Leninism. Neither the patience nor the weakness of Petrograd is to be expected of Winnipeg. A little demonstration, a little object lesson of the sacred beauties of the soviet, Winnipeg has been treating herself to. A community educated in orderly, representative self-government may permit itself a brief folly, may give its sense of humor a little outburst, but the show will soon weary. The old instincts and the old habits will reassert themselves. To be starved for a foreign theory is not a sacrifice that men brought up to govern themselves, and not to be governed by extemporary, exotic, self-appointed committees, will make for more than a few days. The courage and the public spirit of the community will reassert themselves. The dawdlers and the trimmers in high places will reap the harvest of public contempt that they have been sowing.—New York Times.

Bring in that picture and let me frame it for you.—C. A. Cummins.

FOLKS WE ALL KNOW



Were you ever introduced to a Fellow who immediately grabbed your hand like he had inherited it? And did your Mitt feel like it had been Caught in the Door? Then you've met the Bone Crusher. Where does he get the idea that he can Make Friends that way?

SHIPBUILDING PROGRAM IS GREATEST IN ALL HISTORY

By The Associated Press

DETROIT, Mich., June 18.—When the shipbuilding program for 1919 is completed in November, the yards of the Great Lakes will have turned out complete 526 vessels since September, 1917, when construction for the government was started. Of this number 447 will be cargo carriers, and the remainder tugs, including 38 of the seagoing type, 150 feet long.

The lake yards were going at top speed when the armistice was signed in November. It was during this month that a record was established by completion of 28 ships. Between the signing of the armistice and the opening of navigation approximately 400,000 deadweight tons of shipping was produced in the lake district.

The first of a fleet of 40 oil burning freighters being built in the Detroit district will soon be on the way to the Atlantic coast. They will be of the same tonnage as the coal burning carriers built for the United States shipping board.

"The Shepherd of the Hills."

A particular and sentimental interest to Americans centers about the novel of "The Shepherd of the Hills," picturization of which is to be shown in this city at the American Theatre today and tomorrow. A story more typically American could not be written. The scenes are laid in the Ozarks, a part of the United States which may be said to have been discovered by Harold Bell Wright, as it is a region little known to the average person beyond those in that immediate vicinity, before the advent of "The Shepherd of the Hills." It has since become a national vacation ground, visited by thousands of tourists every year. A casual visit there showed Mr. Wright its possibilities, and he remained to write a story of present-day life in that country. This story is now known in every land, and any one who has read the book can immediately understand how wonderfully it could be shown in pictures. The picturesque and sturdy mountaineers are faithfully portrayed, and the scenic background is lavish in its display of nature's beauties in Southwestern Missouri. The dramatic possibilities of the book lend themselves admirably as well, especially the element of mystery which pervades the whole story and which is so startlingly cleared up at the end of the play. Attend the matinee if possible; same show, same music, much cooler.

COME AND PRAY with us tonight at the First Baptist Church. This is a meeting for all the people. 1t

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

Food Prices May Decline

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The high cost of living may receive a hard wallop on or about June 30. Herbert Hoover, international food administrator, has announced that on that date the food administration will send its last cargo of foodstuffs to Europe for distribution over there.

This development ought to create a surplus in this country which would force down food prices, but whether it will operate in this way is another question.

Protests General. "What about the cost of living?" is a question that turns up in nearly every batch of mail received by members of congress these days. Many of the inquiries ask over the country why it is that the level of prices reached during the war is still maintained and in many instances raised. The note running through all the letters of inquiry is that the people are willing to accept the burden which unprecedented high prices imposed on them during the war, but now that the war is over they have a right to expect some relief.

It would be difficult to convince most consumers that prices of most everything that enters into the cost of living are not maintained through organizations more powerful than the law of supply and demand. Coincident with the announcement by Mr. Hoover that the final steps of the program for relief in Europe have been reached, is the statement from the department of agriculture that the farmers of America will soon be harvesting an enormous crop of 1,300 million bushels of wheat, with oats, rye, corn and potatoes in proportion. There is no lack anywhere. There is plenty and much to spare, and yet prices continue to rise skyward.

Pork Should Come Down. The articles of food affected by the order of the international food administrator include not only grains, but fats, oils and condensed and evaporated milk. No pork products have been bought in the American market by the food administration since March 1. The effect of stopping the purchase of pork products by the relief organization should, under the law of supply and demand, have brought down the prices of these products in the United States, but for some unexplained reason the prices, for pork products have steadily risen since March 1.

The packers say they have been compelled to put up the price on these products because they are required to pay the farmers more for hogs. The farmer disclaims all responsibility, though he gladly accepts the better price for his hogs. As for the consumer, he never yet has been able to locate the blame. There is a good deal of agitation in favor of a congressional investigation of the whole subject of the high cost of living, in order to locate definitely the blame for the robber prices that are being charged.

Collector for the Mothers Magazine Home Reading Club will call on subscribers east of Katy track this week. 6-16-18

Good Manners.

Good manners, which give color to life, are of greater importance than laws, which are but one of their manifestations. The law touches us here and there, but manners are about us, everywhere, pervading society like the air we breathe. Good manners, as we call them, are neither more nor less than good behavior, consisting of courtesy and kindness.—Samuel Smiles.

"Be sure to hear Bob Whitson and other good numbers of the Francis Chautauqua, June 23, 24 and 25." 6-18-7t

Said the facetious fellow: "Nobody expects a wedding ceremony to go through without a hitch."

"To spend a very pleasant evening, motor to the Francis Chautauqua on the nights of June 23, 24 and 25." 6-18-7t

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F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.
Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.
C. G. BRADFORD, E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

W. O. W.
Ada Camp No. 568 meets every Tuesday night, I. O. O. F. Hall, 7:30 o'clock.
HUGH BENNETT, C. C.
C. E. CUNNING, Clerk.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I heard the president today;
His address made a hit with me.
I guess the country's safe with him—
He knows such nice big words, you see.



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ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

M. K. & T. Railway		
EAST		
No. 20—Lv. Daily	11:20 A. M.	
No. 16—Lv. Daily	10:15 P. M.	
WEST		
No. 19—Ar. Daily	4:10 P. M.	
No. 15—Ar. Daily	4:55 A. M.	
Santa Fe Railroad		
EAST		
No. 450—Lv. Daily	3:30 P. M.	
No. 446—Ar. Daily	1:50 P. M.	
WEST		
No. 449—Lv. Daily	11:00 A. M.	
No. 445—Lv. Daily	3:00 P. M.	
Frisco Railroad		
NORTH		
No. 118—Lv. Daily	4:00 A. M.	
No. 510—Lv. Daily	11:38 A. M.	
No. 512—Lv. Daily	4:45 P. M.	
(Leaves from here.)		
SOUTH		
No. 511—Ar. Daily	1:55 P. M.	
No. 117—Ar. Daily	11:49 P. M.	
No. 507—Ar. Daily	7:10 P. M.	
(Stops here.)		

OLD NEWSPAPERS.

Are a most convenient thing to have around the house. They are good for wrapping bundles, starting fires and a hundred and one other things. The News gets hundreds of exchanges, and after these are examined here in the office they are tied into bundles of about a hundred and sold for five cents the bundle. Many times you will find a month's good reading in one of these bundles. Come in and get one.



No end of the most clever patterns in stripes and solid colors ever shown. Such wonderful materials as Crepe de Chines, Jersey, Broadcloth, Pussy Willow. This is the best showing in Ada.

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Bosnia Is Destitute; A Plague of Lice Now Overruns the Country

By the Associated Press

SPALATO, Bosnia, May 5.—(By Mail)—Fifteen per cent of the population in Bosnia is absolutely destitute. Typhus is on the increase both in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Although only 800 cases of typhus are officially reported the American medical authorities believe that there are more than 3,000. Great difficulty is experienced by the authorities in inspecting Mohammedan homes where three-quarters of the cases are believed to be concealed.

Mohamedan women refuse to be treated by male doctors no matter how serious their illness. Many of the Christian natives think it unmanly to have the attention of a doctor or nurse.

"We are not afraid to die," the hardy mountaineers assert when medical aid is offered them. "Why all this fuss? Disease is a curse from God but if He sees fit to send it to us we must die like men."

The Bosnian government, however, has closed all moving picture houses, dance halls and places of public congregation and is attempting to introduce a plan whereby a medical certificate will be required of every traveler on the railways.

A veritable plague of lice overruns the country. They are to be found everywhere carrying with them the germs of typhus. One of the greatest needs of the natives is soap of which there is none to be had. Typhus is following the lines of communication, especially the railways. American Red Cross personnel, members of the Hoover Food Mission and American naval officers avoid the railways as the

cars are infested with typhus lice. The American Red Cross is making preparations to aid 22 civilian hospitals in Bosnia and Herzegovina and six military hospitals which have been converted into civilian hospitals. Four small hospitals where typhus cases are being treated by American Red Cross doctors and nurses have been established and aid also is on the way to five military hospitals in Dalmatia at Cattaro, Spalato, Sinj, Meljino and Ragusa. Members of the Hoover Food mission at Ragusa and of the American navy at Zelanika have been aiding the American Red Cross restore Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Canadian Troops Homesick, Go On The Warpath

By the Associated Press

LONDON, June 18.—Unrest among Canadian soldiers in England because of continued postponement of homeward sailings culminated last night in an attack of 400 Canadians on the Epsom police station. Several policemen were wounded, one seriously. The purpose of the attack was to release a Canadian soldier who had been arrested.

AS IT WAS TO BE.
Wedding at — P. M., Katy train North at Four.

(Unless Fleet Cooper and his entire force took possession of bridegroom and had a grand time in a wonderful parade which was planned.)

AS IT WAS.
All on the quiet, too!
Wedding at 10:45 A. M. Quick run for waiting car with kind-hearted and thoughtful driver, a rush for another town and another train bore the happy couple away on the first lap of their honeymoon.

The bride and groom in question are Mr. Chas. T. Bates of the Ada Music Company, and his bride was Miss Dora Griffin of 320 E. 12th St. Both have a host of friends here who wish them happiness in their wedded life.

VAUDA BLACK IS BACK FROM WAR

Vauda E. Black, of Centralhoma, is back from the army. He arrived home Friday, having landed in New York June 2nd. Mr. Black was with the famous 36th Division and for twelve months was on the front in France. He was enlisted with Company A, 144th Infantry. Mr. Black says that he had many wonderful experiences and enjoyed the service very much, but that he is glad to be back among his friends and old acquaintances.

GERMANY'S REPLY TO THE ALLIES

(Continued From Page 1.)

all." It is added that "Upper Silesia owes everything to Germany and Germany cannot dispense with Upper Silesia, while Poland does not really need it." Germany is prepared to cede such parts as are truly Polish. In all territories east and west, where cession is demanded, she says it must be preceded by a plebiscite with universal suffrage administered under fair conditions administered by neutral powers after evacuation of foreign troops.

West Prussia.
Germany is ready to cede to Poland such West Prussian territories as are indisputably Polish.

East Prussia.
Germany cannot consent to the severance of East Prussia, with a German population of 1,500,000 from the German empire. A bridge must be absolutely preserved.

Danzig.
This purely German town must remain within the German empire. Germany refuses to make it a free city, but is willing to make it a Koenigsberg free port to give Poland access to the sea.

Alsace-Lorraine.
The population alone should decide whether it wants to belong to France or Germany or wants to be an independent state. "If France is to take over the results of Germany's effort she must equally take over a proportionate share in the German debt."

German-Austria.
Germany cannot pledge herself to oppose a possible desire of German-Austria to be united with her.

Colonies.
The treaty clauses are called "unjust." Germany claims she has "a natural claim to colonies from her culture and undeniable colonial accomplishments." She proposes an impartial hearing of the whole colonial question before a special committee. She is willing to administer her colonies, under the league principles if she is at once made a member with equal privileges.

Russia.
It conflicts with a peace of right and justice to demand from Germany to recognize beforehand any treaties which her present enemies may make with the states which were formerly part of the Russian empire.

"Germany," says the reply, "has expressly accepted President Wilson's fourteen points and nothing else." By eliminating Germany from the world's trade, it is asserted, her enemies "might get rid of a troublesome competitor but the world, already impoverished by the war, would become infinitely poorer." She promises in her counter proposals to set an example in disarmament offering to give up all naval and military weapons to the minimum point required for police work in maintaining law and order internally.

Kiao Chow.
She renounces her rights and privileges regarding Kiao Chow and Shantung, with certain stipulations as to compensation.

Treaty of Brest-Litovsk.
Says this pact was renounced in the armistice.

Reparations to Russia.
Cannot recognize any right on Russia's part to demand restitution and reparation.

Egypt.
"Germany is called upon to violate the Egyptian right to self-determination by recognizing the British protectorate."

Shipping.
She refuses to surrender her whole merchant fleet and will not give up more than 10 per cent of her river tonnage.

Kiel Canal.
Proposal of an international commission acceptable to Germany only if other straits are similarly treated.

Treaties.
Germany refuses the abrogation of treaties with countries not at war with her, such as Peru, Bolivia, Ecuador and Uruguay, saying diplomatic rupture did not affect such treaties.

Heligoland.
Germany accepts the dismantling of this "gibraltar of the north sea" but insists on the right to take protection measures for its population.

HERE IS SOMETHING WE SHOULD GO AFTER

The News is in receipt of a letter from Congressman Tom D. McKeown which is self explanatory, but which should be taken advantage of in some manner by our business men. The letter follows:

"Washington, D. C., June 15, 1919.

"Editor The News:

"Secretary Daniels has informed me that the Navy Department has on hand at the Navy Yard at Washington 1311 Memorial Tablets made from metal recovered from the old Battleship Maine, together with one ventilator, two deck plates and three powder tanks, and that he will distribute the same to municipalities throughout the United States provided that they will defray the cost. He says the cost of the tablets is about \$5.00 in addition to the freight or express charges from Washington. If your city is interested in one of these tablets I will do my best to obtain the same as long as any of them are left. Your immediate attention to this matter is urged.

"With good wishes, I am,

"Cordially and sincerely,

"TOM D. McKEOWN."

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

Normal Notes

(Continued from Page One.)

Dr. Meek of San Antonio, Texas, and next week Dr. Andrew Thomas Smith will speak.

The Campfire Girls announce that they will serve ice cream and sandwiches at the Normal Thursday.

The different counties making up the East Central District have perfected organizations at the Normal and are beginning to manifest county spirit. Those states and counties not in the district also have an organization, known as "57 Varieties." This organization is headed by Miss Geneva Gordon, and at chapel this morning the members marched into the hall with streaming banners and appropriate yells and singing "The Gang's All Here," or words to that effect. They brought much applause from the congregation.

It is cause for much regret among all students and faculty of the Normal to know that Miss Mildred Covington has severed her connection with the institution. Miss Covington has been secretary to President Gordon for the past two years, and has made hundreds of friends who will miss her from her customary place. She left today for Vinita where she will remain with her parents during this summer. She contemplates teaching in that part of the state beginning with the fall term.

Miss Keller reports much progress with her music clubs and choruses. The male chorus is doing fine work, much better than could have been expected of mere men.

Prof. A. A. Cruz reports ten pieces in his Normal orchestra and great interest in the work. Among the instruments used in the orchestra are violins, violoncellos, clarinets, cornets and the piano.

The enrollment at the Normal this morning had reached the total of 885.

Miss Edith Flagler of Chickasha, who was in charge of the Chickasha High School girls at the outing at Devil's Den, stopped over in Ada yesterday on her return home and was the guest while here of her friend, Miss Francisco.

The Domestic Science girls are now preparing the lunches they use each day. Later they will likely prepare lunches to sell to the students generally.

INDIAN APPROPRIATION BILL WAS PASSED, SAYS

The following letter, written by Congressman Tom D. McKeown and addressed to Esias Edwards of this city, is self explanatory:

"Washington, D. C., June 10, 1919.

"Mr. Esias Edwards,

Ada, Okla.

"Dear Esias:

"Your letter received and beg to advise that we have passed the Indian Appropriation Bill making provision for a \$200 per capita payment. I tried to put on an amendment to take restrictions off of all land except 40 acres, but being on an appropriation bill they made a point of order against it. We have provided for a competency commission to be continued in Oklahoma and have forced the Indian department to announce that they expect to pursue a more liberal policy. Indications are that we will get better conditions for the Indians.

"With sincere good wishes, I am,

"Your friend,

"TOM D. McKEOWN."

LEAGUE OF NATIONS OPPONENTS GET BLOW

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Declaring that the opponents to the league of nations plan have conducted a campaign of misrepresentation and distortion, Senator McCumber, republican, of North Dakota, told the senate today that the league covenant offered the only prospect that would prevent future and more terrible wars than the through which we have just passed.

In reply to the arguments of many republican senators, he upheld the league as entirely devoid of any liability to endanger, entangle or curtail American interests.

New's Wants

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Paige hub cap; finder leave at E. H. McKendree Hardware and receive reward. 6-18-19.

Dr. M. J. Beets is starting to build a 7 room residence in 800 block East 14th.

FOR SALE—Small 2-year-old fresh Jersey cow; just the type for town use. 301 East 13th. Call 194-J. 6-18-19.

WANTED—Employment by competent young woman. Phone 676. 6-18-19.

LOST—Between Roff and Ada one brown leather purse containing Oilie Wier's check book and some foreign coins. Finder return to News office. 1-18-19.

FOR SALE—Good Ford car. Price \$350.00. See H. C. Thompson, room 4, over Guaranty State Bank. 6-18-19.

The Nu-Mex Oil Company, Most of Whom are Ada Men, Start Things in Mexico

Those who might have been leary about the prospects of the Nu-Mex Oil Company's operations in New Mexico have had all doubts removed, according to the officials of the company which is composed chiefly of Ada citizens, and who have secured enormous lease holdings near Portales, New Mexico.

Harry Gutches, one of the promoters, who has been in the New Mexico field for several days has sent back glowing reports of the conditions and prospects there, but to further satisfy themselves the Ada men interested in the company sent Mr. J. W. Brown to the field last week and he has just returned. Mr. Brown says that the excitement is running high and that the leases and stock of the local company can be disposed of in short order and that there is nothing in the world that can prevent members of the company from making big returns on their investments. The company has about 25,000 acres under lease.

We are in receipt, also of a copy of the Portales Valley News, of June 12th, in which is a somewhat comprehensive report of the operations of this company. The article from the Portales paper follows:

"Oil matters may be said to have started in earnest in Portales. Chas. Hagerling of Oklahoma City, who is accompanied by his newly wedded wife, together with H. B. Gutches of Ada, Okla., came to the city this morning and immediately began to show the pep that means big things for Roosevelt County. Hagerling is one of the best known publicity men in the entire country, having been connected with some of the largest civic organizations of New York and Pittsburgh. His wide experience in attracting public interest and capital will result in putting Portales oil field before the entire country. He has been financial representative of one of Oklahoma's large Trust companies and was attracted to New Mexico by the glowing reports made to him by oil operators in the Mid-continental field. Mr. Hagerling states that he is convinced from a study of conditions that New Mexico will duplicate the history of Oklahoma and Texas.

"The rig is on the way and will be set up by three experienced builders from Okmulgee, Okla. The casing has been ordered from Tulsa and one of the most responsible of Oklahoma's drillers will have charge of all important operations of drilling and equipping the well. Work will be rushed day and night until completion.

"It is altogether probable that

more than one well will be drilled by the Nu-Mex Company. Their extensive holdings will permit several undertakings to be carried on at the same time. The men behind the company are successful business and professional men from a state that has become a financial power through its oil wells and these men are not afraid to back their judgment with their money. Some of them have made their fortunes from oil production and royalties. Most of them have made arrangements to spend the Summer at Portales with many of their friends while the drilling is going on. They are the type of men whose association with an enterprise brings credit to the community and Portales will be glad to welcome them."

At the Ada Playhouses

American.

Starting at ten o'clock this morning the American Theatre of this city, will show "The Shepherd of the Hills" continuously today, tonight, tomorrow and tomorrow night. The show will start on the even hour and run continuously until the closing hour at night. This picture is from Harold Bell Wright's famous novel filmed among the scenic wonders of the Ozarks. Don't miss this great picture, as it may not come this way again soon.

Liberty.

At the Liberty Theatre, "A Romance of Happy Valley," directed by D. W. Griffith. Runs today and tomorrow. A great production.

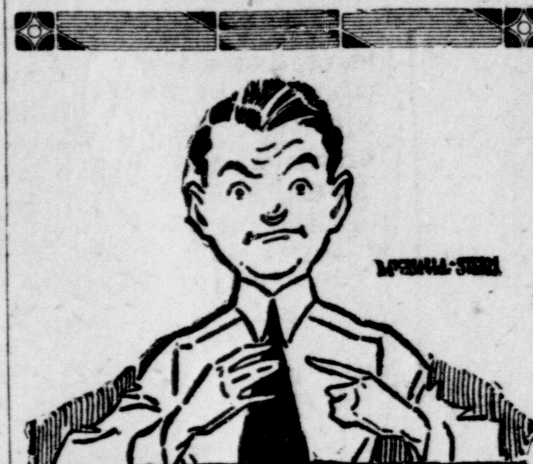
Come to Band Practice.

All old members, and all others musically capable or musically inclined, are requested to meet at the court house tonight at eight o'clock for organization and practice.

No city in the country, the size of Ada is without an band and should not be—and it is all important that every one in position to do so should lend the band movement their hearty support.

Come out to this meeting if you are interested in having a good band in Ada.

TONIGHT at 8:30 all the church people of the city meet in a Community Prayer Meeting at the First Baptist church.



Where have the Scarf Pins Gone?

Five years they were the rage. Today they are roccoco.

We asked a Jewelry salesman his reason for this sudden decline. He said he thought it was because the recent clothing styles were so attractive that a young man didn't need to put on a pin to look smart and prosperous.

Good thought; the Waist Seam Suits by MICHAELS-STERN DON'T need glitter or gold to make them good looking.

The cut is enough — so they've cut out the pins.

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FRED FORD PUSHING

THE NEW ESSEX CAR

Fred Ford, popular mechanic and garage man and agent for Essex and Hudson cars, has just sold a new Essex to Mrs. J. M. Winter-smith of this city.

No sooner was the sale made than Mr. Ford left for Oklahoma City for a new car, which he drove through to Ada yesterday.

The Essex is a beautiful little machine and one that is especially adapted to this locality. Mr. Ford predicts a great run on the Essex this summer and he states that he is in position to make immediate deliveries.

"The Francis Chautauqua program promises to be extra good this year. Be sure to attend, June 23, 24 and 25."

6-18-19

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THE farmers like to see this hot weather and you won't mind it if you'll wear Dixie Weaves.

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